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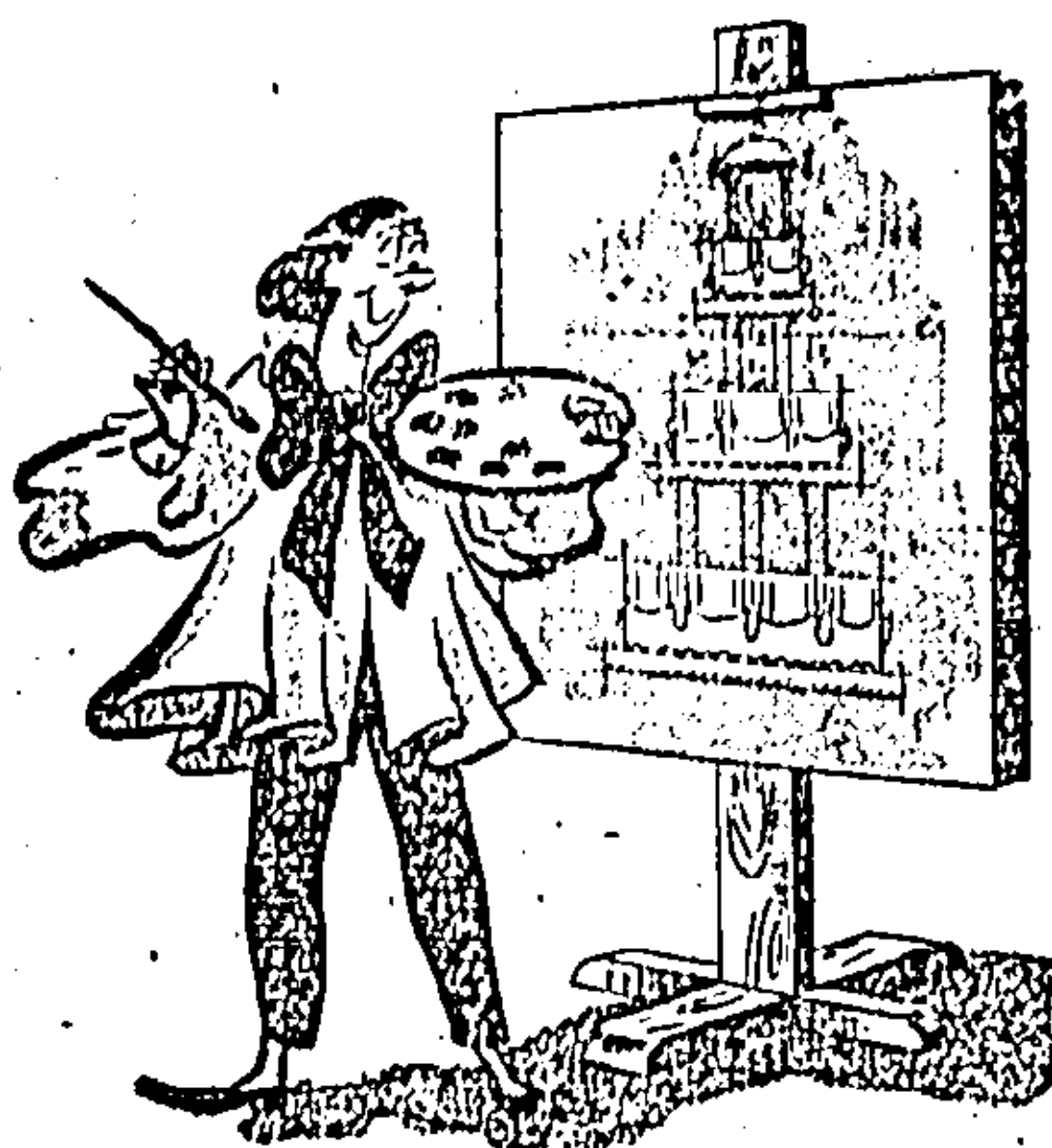
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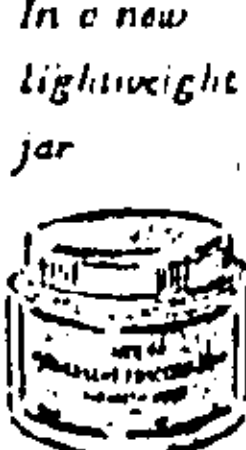


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## A hundred years ago

Tales told in  
"China Mail" files.

Mortality among the British troops and typhoon disasters along the coast figured largely in a survey of local events in the late summer of 1850—

There is a pretty well authenticated rumour that a rebellion has broken out in Southern China, and that the Imperial troops have been worsted by the insurgents, who were led to battle by another aspirant for the Emperorship.

The mortality in the 59th Regiment has been frightful; for 15 days after the departure of the July mail the deaths were at the rate of two and three daily, (an abstract will be found in another column). The sickness is now abating; 150 of the invalids have been moved on board ship and other remedial measures taken. The general opinion as to the cause of sickness is the old story—Bad Provisions.

The health of civilians in Victoria and other parts of China continues generally good.

Another daring piracy with murder was committed a short distance from the shores of Hong Kong on the 7th instant.

Two junks on their way to Pecheli, with valuable cargoes, were wrecked within sight of Victoria in a gale on the 29th ult. In the North Pacific Ocean and the China Sea much turbulent weather has been experienced. On the 28th ult., the "Countess of Eglintoun" experienced a gale from the S.W. in the 20° North latitude, and 122° E. longitude, arriving here, dismasted, on the 5th instant.

The "Famia" was wrecked off the coast of Luconia in the same gale; the Captain and part of the crew arrived safely at Manila on the 31st ult.

On the 28th ult. the American ship "Alabar" had a gale from the N.E. in 19.50 North latitude, and 134.25 East longitude. In Amoy a severe typhoon was experienced on the 28th and 29th ult. The steamer "Lady Mary Ward" from Hong Kong to Shanghai was obliged to run into the anchorage at the Elk Islands for shelter as was also the Spanish Brig "Ylocano."

In Hong Kong a smart gale from the Eastward was felt on the 29th and 30th. In Macao it blew hardest, on the latter day from S.W.

The "Eliza Penelope" was apparently in the vortex of a typhoon in 13 North latitude and 113° East longitude, on the 1st and 2nd instant, but came in without damaging her cargo. A few days after the departure of the last mail the "Amazon" left port on a trip to Manila, whence she returned on the 20th inst. The Dutch frigate "De Rijk" and the United States Sloop "Plymouth" have both left the China Waters. The Portuguese Sloop "Iris" of 28 guns arrived at



Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Francisco Rodriguez shown after their wedding at Rosary Church yesterday. The bride was the former Miss Joan Mavis Theresa Guingam. ("China Mail" photo).

## Local Weddings

### Rodriguez—Guingam

Miss Joan Mavis Theresa Guingam, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Guingam, became the bride of Mr. Carlos Francisco Rodriguez, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Rodriguez, at Rosary Church yesterday.

Rev. Fr. H. de Angelis officiated. The bride was led to the altar by her father. She looked lovely in a gown of satin and lace with an Elizabethan collar and a long train. Her 12-foot long veil was held in place by pearlised orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white gladioli.

Miss Fertha Rodriguez, the bridesmaid, was dressed in blue not on satin, and carried a posy of gladioli.

The flower girl was Miss Maureen Ribeiro, who was identically dressed as the bridesmaid. She also carried gladioli. The best man was Mr. William Chain, while Master Alan Ward acted as pageboy. The reception was held at the Little Flower Club, King's Park. The honeymoon is to be spent at Castle Peak and later at Macao. The bride went away in a pink marquisette dress.

### Pan—So

At St. Margaret's Church yesterday, Miss Lillian Maria Beatrice So became the bride of Mr. Philip Lau Hung-pun of the Colonial Secretariat Office.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. So Ming-chen and Mrs. So Chiu-ying. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. Lau Shing and Mrs. Lau Chan-sheung.

Macao on the 6th instant.

The Tea Market opened in Canton on the 17th instant and we hear that the American ship "Oriental" has been taken up to load Teas for England at £6.6 per ton. The first ship of the season, the "Reindeer," left on the 20th inst. Upwards of \$3,000 have been subscribed in Canton towards the Grand Industrial Exhibition Fund. The Hong Kong Committee, for furthering the matter, has ceased to act. A Newspaper has been started at Shanghai under the designation of the "North China Herald" and bids fair to be a very useful journal; neither pains nor expense being spared in getting it up in a creditable manner.

The Hong Kong and Canton Company's Steamer "Hong Kong," on her way from Canton caught fire on the 23rd ult., and was within an ace of being totally destroyed; her able commander did not, however, lose his presence of mind; and succeeded, by having the deck torn up over the boilers, in putting a stop to it.

## PERSONALITY PARADE

Chief Manager, Butterfield and Swire

The head of one of Hong Kong's most important commercial organisations has been identified with it for 28 years. He is Mr. C. C. Roberts, chief manager of Butterfield and Swire, who joined the firm in 1922.

Charles Collingwood Roberts was born in 1900 at Huddersfield, Yorkshire. Huddersfield has a happy and long association of its own with Hong Kong and China because most of the fine worsted cloths on sale in this part of the world come from its mills.

Mr. Roberts is the first member of his family to join B & S. His father, also a Yorkshire man, worked for many years in Lloyd's Bank.

As a boy young Charles attended Rugby School, celebrated in scholastic annals as the seat of that famous headmaster, Dr. Arnold. After Rugby he went to Queen's College, Oxford, where he obtained a degree in modern history.

While at Oxford he did not shine in any particular line of activity, but he had a happy time. Modern history covers the period from the birth of Christ to the present day, and Mr. Roberts feels that it provides the best training for a subsequent business career. In his own case, a normal classical education at Rugby coupled with modern history at Oxford gave him that mental alertness which paved the way to business success.

### Went to Shanghai

Soon after leaving the university Mr. Roberts went to London to join John Swire and Sons, Limited, and was subsequently

sent to Shanghai to join the firm's Eastern office. He arrived there in 1922, and has been with B & S in China ever since.

The job took him to several Chinese cities of importance, where he remained one or two years. He was in Hong Kong on several occasions before coming here permanently in 1935.

Beginning as a junior in the organisation, he progressed step by step until he assumed the chief management of the company in Hong Kong. Mr. Roberts' case is not an exception, because it has been a standing rule with B & S to give its executives prac-

tice parts of China where the West had a foothold. This became a landmark in Shanghai and Hong Kong, where it played a decisive role in the progress of evolution of those cities from mud flats to world centres.

When Mr. Roberts came to China for B & S, the main work of the firm's build-up had already been accomplished. However, he was to see, as well as participate in, still further expansion.

In 1934 the company founded the Orient Paint Company in Shanghai, in association with Pincheon, Johnson and Company, the world-famous paint manufacturers.



MR. C. C. ROBERTS

### Suffered badly

The Pacific War was a period of great devastation, and B & S suffered badly. After the war heavy burden of reconstruction devolved upon Mr. Roberts, and he undertook the task with vigour.

Not only are the sugar refineries and the docks running again, but new subsidiaries have been formed in the negotiations of which Mr. Roberts played a prominent part. The firm of Swire and MacLaine was established in association with MacLaine Watson and Company of Java, and its opening marked the return of Butterfield's to the merchant business which it abandoned when the pace of expansion took it to other fields.

In 1948 B & S, in partnership with the Lee family of Hong Kong, founded the Duro P. Manufacturing Company, which has just built a large motor factory in the Quarry Bay area.

Also in 1948 the firm entered the sphere of aviation. In association with the Australian National Airways, Talkoo in interests acquired the controlling voice in the Cathay Pacific Airways Company, which is today one of the prominent airlines serving Far Eastern airfields.

B & S also operates the Pacific Air Maintenance and Supply establishment at Kai Tak Airport. In Shanghai, B & S continue to maintain their offices, despite the contraction of business as a result of the Chinese civil war.

In the inland cities the house flag is still kept flying. B & S will not "pull out" of China; it will stand by to await the return of congenial conditions, which, believes must come.

It is Mr. Roberts' job to manage this vast enterprise for and on behalf of a Board of Directors in London. On his decisions repose virtually the destinies of several thousand people. Tacit mental alertness, profound commercial ability, daring and foresight are requirements he cannot do without.

### Mostly textiles

John Swire and Sons, of London, started a business in Liverpool in 1812 which consisted, mainly of shipping goods to China and Japan. These goods were mostly textiles and woolen articles from the mills of Yorkshire.

In 1868 John Swire's agents in Shanghai got into difficulties, and Mr. J. S. Swire himself went to Shanghai to investigate the situation. While there, he decided to open his own house.

The actual date of the firm's founding was December 4, 1866, and the name given to it was Butterfield and Swire—the term Butterfield being derived from the large Butterfield manufacturing concern in Kalgley, Yorkshire, whose goods John Swire and Sons were then distributing in the Far East.

In 1874 Mr. J. S. Swire took into partnership the J. H. Scott ship-building and engineering family with yards on the Clyde, and B & S went into the ship-building business. Until that time the company had concentrated its energies in the merchant trade, but after 1874 a period of rapid expansion set in. The China Navigation Company was founded and the gradual build-up of its famous coastal fleet commenced.

In 1875 the firm invaded the field of insurance by assuming the representation in China of some of Britain's largest insurance companies. Seven years later the Talkoo Sugar Refining Company was set up in Hong Kong and 18 years later the Talkoo Dockyards made their debut.

In all that time B & S consolidated their holdings in the Chinese coastal ports, and large wharf facilities, godowns, as well as organisational properties were built in Shanghai, Canton, Hankow, and Tientsin. As the firm grew its reputation advanced, and the term Talkoo came to possess real significance.

Its large staff, maintained in terms of thousands all the way from Tientsin to Canton, gave B & S a position of importance in

## Funeral of Mr. F. C. Mow Fung

The funeral of Mr. Frederick Charles Mow Fung, JP, at the Kowloon Chinese Christian Cemetery yesterday was attended by many brethren of all Constitutions and Masonic Lodges of Hong Kong and Kowloon.

Mr. Mow Fung died on October 5 at his residence, 23, Maple Street, Shamshuipo.

The Reverend Canon Lee Kau-yin officiated at the graveside after an encircling service had been held at deceased's residence by the Reverend Ng Chung-liu and the Reverend Cheng Tak-yau.

Mr. Mow Fung, aged 68, is survived by a daughter, Miss A. V. Mow Fung, nursing sister, a son, Mr. D. Men Fung, two grandsons and a granddaughter.

He is also survived by two sisters Miss Ruby Mow Fung and Mrs. Parkinson, a nephew, Mr. E. C. Fletcher and two nieces Mrs. A. E. P. Guest and Miss Wan Suet-hing.

Among the many representatives of the Masonic lodges who attended the funeral yesterday were:

Mr. F. F. Duckworth, Mr. D. S. Hill, the Reverend Mr. J. Sandbach, Mr. L. M. Muntland, Mr. J. Bruce, Mr. G. W. K. Crawford, Mr. G. Walker, Captain A. T. Powell, Mr. J. Young, Mr. Lee Wing-chaak, Mr. Thomas Tam, Mr. A. L. Landgrist, Mr. Wesley Thom, Mr. J. Y. Lum, Mr. A. T. Evans, Mr. A. J. Kew, Brother A. Steven, Mr. C. de Sallie, Mr. A. F. Fido, Mr. G. F. Rhodes, Mr. Davidson, Mr. A. Terbut, Mr. H. J. M. Vanthall, Mr. J. H. Tinson, Mr. Hui Pui-yang, Mr. C. Wilcox, Mr. P. L. Lam, Mr. J. Barnes, Mr. F. R. Ashton, Mr. A. C. Leohip, Mr. H. L. W. Aitken, Mr. H. Gittins, Mr. G. T. Bradley, Mr. A. B. Lyen,

Mr. E. Mainwaring, Mr. W. May, Mr. H. Durrant, Mr. G. C. Morse, Mr. G. A. Liss, Mr. R. E. Stott, Mr. J. Skinner, Mr. G. E. Madge, the Reverend Mr. G. H. A. T. Lyscombe, Captain F. W. Winyard, Mr. F. E. Skinner, Mr. H. Close, Mr. G. A. Jack, Mr. H. E. Swabey, Mr. C. E. Wong, Mr. E. Wong, Mr. V. de Boeten, Mr. E. Cunningham, Mr. F. M. Kent, Mr. M. N. Rahusen, Mr. A. Dodd, Dr. C. W. Lam, Mr. H. Bragg, Mr. E. Wong Tape and Mr. A. Gillard.

Among the many who sent wreaths were: Anna, David, Ruby, Em and Paul May, Beatrix and family, Dr. E. W. Two, Mr. and Mrs. B. Burgoyne, Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Tseung, Dr. and Mrs. T. F. Wu, Mr. and Mrs. W. Thomas Tam, Mr. and Mrs. R. Pestonji, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gittins, Dr. S. C. Young, Mr. N. T. Sung, Mr. S. N. Lee, Mr. C. T. Young, Mr. James C. L. Wong, Captain Powell, Mr. L. B. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Evans, Mr. R. P. Woods, Jean and Harry Aitken, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. T. Loney, Mr. and Mrs. Lau Tak-po, Mr. and Mrs. T. MacKenzie, Members of the St. Andrews' Chapter W28, Directors of the Tung Wah Hospitals, Staff of the Nethersole Hospital, Chairman and members of the Hong Kong Police Reserve Rifle and Revolver Club, the Kowloon Residents Association, Concordia Mark Lodge 721EC, Concordia Lodge M.M.M. 721EC, Pearl River Lodge, Naval and Military Lodge, Worshipful Master, Officers and Brethren of the Shamrock Lodge, Staff of the Kowloon Taxi Cab and Transportation Company, Drivers and Mechanics of the Kowloon Taxi Cab Company, Manager and Staff of the Peninsula Hotel, the Wang Kee Company Limited, the Mow Fung Rickshaw Shop, Members of the Hong Kong Police Reservists, Loxley and Company, the True Light Middle School, Dispensary Staff of the Nethersole Hospital, the Shanghai Taxi Company, and many others.

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## Baseball:

# YANKEES WIN WORLD SERIES

New York, October 7.

Whitoy Ford, 21-year-old rookie southpaw, won the New York Yankees' 13th World Series title today with a 5-2 victory over the Philadelphia Phillies for a four game sweep. It was the lowest scoring Series in history.

With two runs in, two men on base and two out in the ninth, Allie Reynolds, winner of the second game of the series, relieved Ford and put down the Phillies uprising by striking out Stan Lopata, a pinch hitter.

It was a two-run error by left-fielder Gene Woodling that spoiled the Yankees' shutout.

It was the sixth clean sweep of Series for the Yankees.

Yogi Berra smashed a 365 foot line drive into the right field seats in the sixth inning to help the Yankees win the clincher.

The Yanks routed rookie Bob Lush in the first inning with a 10-run blast. Reliever Jim Konstanty held the champs in check until the sixth when Berra's homer, a hit batter, Bobby Brown's triple and a fly ball accounted for three runs.

Only in the ninth did the Phillies get after Ford, one of the youngest winning pitchers in any World Series. He was picked for a lead off single by Willie Jones and hit Ed Ennis on the right leg before anybody was out.

Dick Sisler forced Ennis at second and was taken out for pinchrunner Ker Johnson. After Johnny Hammer struck out, Ford was only one out away from finishing the ball game. But it was not to be.

## Lost in the sun

Andy Seminick's long fly to Gene Woodling apparently was lost in the sun and fell out of Gene's glove for a two-run error, both Jones and Johnson scoring.

After Mike Goltz pumped a single to left, Casey Stengel decided to lift the kid and call in Reynolds. The big crowd gave Ford a tremendous ovation as he walked to the dugout.

The following is the game play by play:

First inning, Phillies—Watkins walked on a full count. Ashburn swung at Ford's first pitch and after a short fly to Woodling in back of third.

Jones was credited with a ground rule double when his drive bounced into the right field stands. Watkins stopped at third. Brown fielded Ennis' high bouncer just inside the third baseline and threw to Berra who tagged Watkins out at the plate. Jones held second on the fielders choice.

Sisler struck out on a fast pitch that caught the outside corner.

No runs, one hit, no errors, two out.

First Innings, Yankees—Goltz bobbled Woodling's roller past the mound and Woodling was safe on the error.

Jones reached to his left and made a nice stop of Rizzuto's sharp grounder and threw him out at first.

Berra drilled a single past Goltz into right field, scoring Woodling who slid in ahead of Ennis' throw to the plate.

## A wild pitch

Miller uncorked a wild pitch and Berra raced all the way to third before Seminick could retrieve the ball.

DiMaggio lined a double off the barrier in right field, scoring Berra.

Miller was replaced by Jim Konstanty, making his 16th relief appearance of the year. DiMaggio moved to third.

Goltz gloved Brown's grounder a few feet from second base and whipped to Watkins to retire the runner.

Two runs, two hits, one error, one left.

Second Inning, Phillies—Rizzuto scooped up Hammer's sharp grounder and fired across to Miz for the out.

Seminick also bounded out to Rizzuto.

Goltz filed to Woodling in left. No runs, no hits, no errors, one left on.

Second Inning, Yankees—Bauer went out on a high pop to Ham-

Coleman filed deep to left field where the catch was made several feet in front of the left field barrier, about 345 feet away.

DiMaggio was hit on the back by a pitched ball.

Miz's sharp grounder bounced off Watkins' glove, but Goltz recovered the ball and threw to Watkins for the out.

DiMaggio went to second. Watkins was credited with an assist as well as a putout on the play.

Brown smashed a triple over Ashburn's head, scoring DiMaggio, with the run that put the Yankees ahead 4-0.

## Fine ovation

Third inning, Phillies—Konstanty received a fine ovation when he stepped up to the plate. He struck a trickler to Coleman who tossed him out.

Watkins rifled a fine single over second into centre-field. Ashburn struck out.

Rizzuto grabbed Jones' grounder and whipped underhand to Coleman at second to force Watkins.

No runs, no hits, no errors, one left.

Third Inning, Yankees—Woodling filed to Ashburn in left centre.

Jones made a nifty stop of Rizzuto's grounder and threw to Watkins for the out.

Goltz fielded Berra's sharp grounder behind second and threw to Watkins who made a neat pick-up of the throw for the out.

No runs, no hits, no errors, none left on.

Fourth Inning, Phillies—Ennis was credited with a single when his topped ball trickled down the third baseline and rolled for until it stopped at the third base bag. Brown had a choice to field it but let it roll thinking it would go to.

On a hit and run play, Ham-nels uncorked a single through the hole vacated by Coleman. who had started for second to cover the bag against a possible steal attempt. Ennis went third on the hit.

## A double play

Seminick rolled to Miz who stepped on first, then threw to Berra who tagged out the sliding runner at the plate to complete a double play.

No runs, two hits, no errors, one left. Fourth Inning, Yankees—DiMaggio struck out.

Miz singled into right field for the first hit off Konstanty.

Brown filed to Ashburn in centre.

Bauer grounded sharply to Jones who threw to Goltz forcing Miz.

No runs, one hit, no errors, one left. Fifth Inning, Phillies—Goltz struck out.

Konstanty singled sharply to right.

Woodling came in fast for Watkins' loop to left centre.

Coleman ran out into short right to get under Ashburn's high pop.

No runs, one hit, no errors, one left.

Fifth Inning, Yankees—Coleman grounded out to Jones.

Watkins made a fine catch of the third baseman's wide throw.

Ford sent a one bouncer back to the mound and was an easy out. Konstanty to Watkins.

Woodling drilled a ground single past Watkins into right field.

## Surprise performance

Rizzuto tried to catch the Philly infield napping with a surprise bunt down the first baseline, but was an easy out to Watkins who tagged the runner on the baseline.

No runs, one hit, no errors, one left on.

Sixth Inning, Phillies—Jones struck out. Sharp smashes down the third baseline bounced off Brown's glove for an error. It was the first Yankee error of the Series.

Sisler rapped sharply to Coleman who threw to Rizzuto forcing Ennis at second and the shortstop relayed the ball to first to double up Sisler.

No runs, no hits, one error, none left on.

Sixth Inning, Yankees—Berra hammered a home run into the lower right field stands, about 305 feet away.

DiMaggio was hit on the back by a pitched ball.

Miz's sharp grounder bounced off Watkins' glove, but Goltz recovered the ball and threw to Watkins for the out.

DiMaggio went to second. Watkins was credited with an assist as well as a putout on the play.

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## One handed catch

Sisler, after a late start, made a "crisp" one handed catch of a fly ball, which fell to left, but Brown forced him to throw the ball to first.

Two runs, two hits, one error, two left on.

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## Reminders

### Today

Lecture on "Christian Science: the Science of God's Abundant Provision" by Mr. H. M. Moller, at First Church of Christ, Scientist, 31, Macdonnell Road, 4.30 p.m.

Union Jack Club, tombola, 7.30 p.m.

Whist Drive, European YMCA, 8 p.m.

Exhibition of Chinese paintings and ancient Chinese coins, Hotel Cecil, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

HK Singers rehearsal, St. John's Cathedral hall, 6.30 p.m.

Royal HK Yacht Club, cocktail party.

Eighth Race Meeting, Jockey Club, Happy Valley, 12 noon.

### Coming events

#### TOMORROW

HK Rotary Club, lunch at the Roof Garden, HK Hotel, 12.30 p.m.

Bridge Drive, European YMCA, 8 p.m.

Nine Dragons Services Club, whist drive (Cash prizes) 7.30 p.m.

Cheero Services Club, whist drive, 8 p.m.

HK Dental Society, dinner at Cosmo Club, 7.15 p.m.

NAAF Club, Kowloon, table tennis tournament, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

NAAF Club, Kowloon, Darts, 8 p.m.

Legislative Council meeting, 2.30 p.m.

Women's Section, European YMCA, games morning, 10 a.m.

Whist Drive, Union Jack Club, 7.30 p.m.

Nine Dragons Services Club, film show "Abe Lincoln in Illinois", 8.30 p.m.

Cheero Services Club, dancing class, 9 p.m.

Johnson replaced Brown at third, and Johnny Hopp went to first in place of Miz for the Yankees.

Hammer struck out.

Seminick filed out to Woodling in the extreme left field corner.

Goltz fouled to Hopp behind first base.

No runs, no hits, no errors, none left on.

Yankees—Ford struck out.

Woodling lined a single to centre.

Woodling was out, trying to steal, Seminick to Goltz who made the tag.

Rizzuto filed to Ashburn in left centre.

No runs, one hit, no errors, one left.

### Fast fielding

Ninth Inning Phillies—Jones drove a long single to left centre. Fast fielding by Woodling kept the hit to a minimum.

Ennis was hit on the right leg by a pitch, advancing Jones to second.

Kern Johnson ran for Sisler.

Kamner struck to become Ford's seventh strikeout victim.

Woodling lost Seminick's towering fly in the sun. He finally got his hands on the ball but dapped it for an error.

Ennis, slowed by an injured leg, could only go to first.

Jack Mayo ran for Seminick.

Goltz singled past Rizzuto into left field, Mayo stopping at second.

That was all for Ford and he was replaced by righthander Allie Reynolds.

Stan Lopata, a righthanded batter, went in to hit for Roberts.

Lopata took a called strike and missed the next pitch for strike two. The next pitch was low for ball one.

## Home Soccer League Standings

FIRST DIVISION									
	P	W	D	L	F	A	G	Pts	
Middlesbrough	12	8	1	3	32	14	17		
Blackburn	12	7	3	2	24	11	17		
Newcastle	12	5	6	1	18	10	16		
Manchester U.	12	7	3	2	21	11	16		
Liverpool	11	5	3	3	16	13	12		
Sheff. Wed.	12	4	5	3	19	14	12		
Sheff. Utd.	12	4	5	3	10	16	12		
Wolverhampton	11	5	2	4	24	10	12		
Huddersfield	13	5	2	6	18	21	12		
Portsmouth	11	4	3	4	19	16	11		
Derby	11	5	1	6	15	17	11		
Bolton	11	5	1	5	10	14	11		
Charlton	11	4	4	3	16	23	11		
Stamford	11	4	4	3	11	12	10		
West Brom.	12	3	4	5	18	24	10		
Villa	12	3	4	5	18	24	10		
Sunderland	11	4	2	6	14	22	10		
Everton	12	3	3	6	13	19	9		
Sheff. W.	12	2	3	7	11	24	8		
Sheff. Utd.	11	2	2	7	12	17	6		

SECOND DIVISION									
	P	W	D	L	F	A	G	Pts	
Blackburn	12	8	2	2	20	11	17		
Manchester C.	11	7	2	2	18	17	16		
Coventry	12	6	4	2	18	12	16		
Birmingham	12	6	4	2	18	12	16		
Barnsley	12	6	4	2	18	12	16		
Hull	11	6	3	3	23	15	15		
Doncaster	11	6	2	3	10	20	13		
Sheff. Utd.	12	5	4	3	15	13	12		
Southampton	12	5	3	4	14	14	12		
West Ham	11	5	2	4	23	20	12		
Cardiff	11	5	3	3	12	12	11		
Queens P.	11	4	3	4	21	16	11		
Leeds	11	4	3	4	18	16	11		
Sheff. Utd.	11	4	4	3	18	16	11		
Sheff. W.	12	4	4	4	18	20	10		
Leicester	11	3	5	3	10	19	9		
Bury	11	3	5	3	15	18	9		
Brentford	12	3	4	5	12	17	7		
Sheff. W.	11	3	4	4	12	17	7		
Swansea	12	3	1	8	15	21	7		
Grimby	11	1	4	6	14	28	5		
Luton	11	1	5	7	17	25	5		

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)									
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Millwall	13	9	2	1	29	14	21		
Nottingham	12	9	2	1	33	10	20		
Norwich	12	8	1	3	22	19	19		
Sheff. Utd.	12	8	1	3	14	10	16		
Southend	12	6	2	4	21	16	14		
Bristol R.	13	5	4	4	14	9	14		
Northampton	13	4	6	3	17	16	14		
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Newport	12	5	2	5	18	12	12		
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Watford	12	2	4	6	17	28	8		
Gillingham	12	2	4	6	15	24	8		
Walsall	12	1	3	8	9	18	5		

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)									
	P	W	D	L	F	A	G	Pts	
Gateshead	13	9	2	2	26	11	20		
Tramora	13	7	5	1	29	19	19		
Rotherham	12	7	3	2	27	16	16		
Holehouse	12	6	3	3	24	14	14		
Accrington	12	6	2	4	24	10	10		
Carlisle	12	6	2	4	21	15	14		
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Crewe	12	6	3	3	14	11	11		
Southport	12	6	2	4	20	22	12		
York	12	6	2	4	16	12	12		
Accrington	12	5	2	5	13	23	13		
Wrexham	12	4	3	5	17	17	11		
Harrow	13	5	1	7	12	26	13		
Scunthorpe	13	4	5	12	12	18	10		
New Brighton	12	3	4	5	12	12	10		
Accrington	12	3	3	6	12	20	9		
Doncaster	12	3	3	6	12	20	9		
Northampton	12	3	2	7	18	19	8		
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## Hancock Shield Cricket:

## KCC in commanding position against HKCC

By "LONGSTOP"

Kowloon Cricket Club can be well satisfied with their position at the close of play in the two-day Hancock Shield cricket match between themselves and Hong Kong Cricket Club, which commenced at Chater Road yesterday. Batting first, Kowloon Cricket Club knocked up 158 runs after a disastrous start and then succeeded in dismissing three Hong Kong Cricket Club batsmen at the expense of 26 runs.

HKCC have only themselves to blame for the position in which they find themselves. They completely under-estimated their opponents and suffered the consequences.

At one stage of the game, they had the KCC at a distinct disadvantage, having taken seven wickets for 49 runs.

They failed to press home the advantage, however, and a very fine 7th wicket partnership by R. E. Lee and R. A. Bell was instrumental in bringing the KCC score up to a respectable total which at one point seemed impossible.

KCC won the toss and elected to bat on a very lifeless pitch. This was a wise decision on the part of R. E. Lee, as subsequent events proved.

The bowling was opened at the Dockyard end by R. S. Cull.

Did not connect

Off the first ball of the match, Davidson took a single, bringing Stapleton to face the bowling. Stapleton flashed dangerously at the fourth ball of the over but did not connect.

Bowling at the Supreme Court end, Mahon, a medium paced bowler, seemed the more dangerous.

The first wicket fell at nine, when Davidson played outside a ball from Mahon and played it on to his wicket.

His place was taken by P. V. Dodge, who played out the over. Dodge opened his account with a beautiful cover drive for two, Stapleton having driven Cull for four the previous over.

A double bowling change was then rung—G. H. Pritchard replacing Mahon and Owen Hughes coming in on Cull's stead.

Dodge took a three off Pritchard by means of a cover drive, but in the next over disaster overtook him. Off Owen Hughes' 5th delivery, he square cut a ball which had Kerr not slipped, he would have caught. However, a brilliant recovery by Kerr enabled Oliver to remove the balls with Dodge well out of his ground.

With the score at 22, Pritchard bowled Stapleton all over the place with a beautiful ball.

Clean bowled

Zimmerman was then joined by Leriou who was also clean bowled for a "duck" by Pritchard, with the score at 28.

At 3.12 p.m. after exactly one hour's play, half the KCC side were out for 34 runs.

The tea interval was taken at 4.15 with the score standing at 37 for seven wickets. Bell and Lee still batting.

At 4.30 p.m. Bell and Lee resumed to the bowling of Cull and Mahon.

At 5.15 p.m. the partnership of Bell and Lee yielded 100 runs.

Bell was lbw to Pritchard two minutes later with the score at 153.

R. E. Lee was last out lbw with the score at 158.

On the face of it, Owen Hughes made a grave mistake.

by not bringing on Pritchard earlier. The HKCC, who were over after over when the KCC score stood at 49 for seven, R. E. Lee and R. A. Bell were allowed to settle down and get their eye in when they should have been hustled.

The KCC innings lasted for exactly three hours, at an average of 53 runs per hour.

At 5.40 p.m. with 50 minutes left for play, L. D. Kilbee and C. J. Lee opened the HKCC innings to the bowling of J. V. Sellers and A. T. Lee.

A difficult chance

At a rank bad third ball, Kilbee gave a difficult chance in "the slips".

Kerr and Kilbee were scoring steadily and seemed quite at home when A. T. Lee bowled Kerr with a ball that kept low.

Off the 3rd ball of Sellers' 4th over, there was a confident appeal for lbw against Kilbee which was dismissed.

An attempt to stump Oliver off Sellers was also unsuccessful.

The score progressed very slowly until with 22 on the board, A. T. Lee induced Oliver to strike a ball which Zimmerman had no hesitation in taking behind the wicket.

The following over Zimmerman brilliantly stumped Kilbee off Sellers without further addition to the score. Kilbee batted a shade luckily for 10 runs.

His place was taken by Rowe, who joined Pritchard and they both played out time.

HKCC are 132 runs behind with seven wickets intact. Play will resume at 11 a.m. today.

Scores:—  
KCC  
C.I. Stapleton b Pritchard 7  
W.M. Davidson b Mahon 5  
P.V. Dodge run out 9  
A. Zimmerman c Mahon b Raynor 0  
J. Leriou b Pritchard 0  
F.R. Kermani lbw Pritchard 5  
S.V. Gittins b Cull 5  
R.E. Lee lbw Kerr 34  
R.A. Bell lbw Pritchard 41  
A.T. Lee b Pritchard 3  
J.V. Sellers not out 0  
Extras 13

Total 158

Bowling analysis  
O M R W  
Cull 13 6 23 1  
Mahon 12 1 26 1  
Pritchard 8 7 22 5  
Owen Hughes 7 0 10 0  
Raynor 3 0 12 1  
White 3 3 7 0  
Kerr 3 1 0 19 1  
Rowe 3 1 15 0

HKCC  
L.D. Kilbee st. Zimmerman b Sellers 10  
O.J. Kerr b A.T. Lee 6  
N.R. Oliver c Zimmerman b A.T. Lee 0  
G.H. Pritchard not out 0  
G.T. Rowe not out 4  
Extras 0

Total (for three) 26

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A.T. Lee 8 4 10 2

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## THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

NOTICE TO MEMBERS  
EIGHTH RACE MEETING

Saturday, 7th and Monday 9th October, 1950.

The first race will be run at 1.30 p.m. and the first race will be run at 2.00 p.m. on the 1st Day. On the 2nd Day the first race will be run at 11.30 a.m. and the first race will be run at 12.00 Noon. The time interval is after the fourth race (1.30 p.m.) on the 2nd Day.

There are 10 races on the 1st Day and 12 races on the 2nd Day (22 in all).

Through tickets at \$44 each may be obtained at the Comptroller, Office of the Treasurer, 1st floor, Telephone House, also tickets for the Special Cash Sweep on the "Kwangtung Handicap" scheduled to be run on 7th October, 1950.

To avoid congestion at the Club's Office at Telephone House, non-members are requested to purchase their tickets for the Special Cash Sweep on the "Kwangtung Handicap" at the Club's Branch Offices at—

5, D'Aguiar Street, Hong Kong

382, Nathan Road, Kowloon.  
The sale of tickets for the Special Cash Sweep on the "Kwangtung Handicap" at the Branch Offices will close at 4 p.m. and at the Treasurer's Comptroller Office, Telephone House, at 5.30 p.m. on Friday, 6th October, 1950.

THERE WILL BE NO SPECIAL CASH SWEEP ON THE LAST RACE.

MEMBERS' BADGES AND ENCLOSURE

Members and guests are reminded that they and their ladies MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

NO ONE WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Badges admitting ladies not in possession of Brooches or Season tickets and gentlemen, non-members of the Club, to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$10.00 per day including tax, for ladies or gentlemen are obtainable through the Secretary on the written or personal introduction of a member, such member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for payment of all bills etc.

Badges admitting to Members Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the RACE COURSE.

The Treasurer's Comptroller Office will close at 10 a.m. on both days. The Secretary's Office will close at 1.45 a.m. the 1st Day and at 10 a.m. on the 2nd Day. Both Offices at 1st floor, Telephone House.

A limited number of tickets will be obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel. 27818).

NO CHILDREN WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE CLUB'S PREMISES DURING THE MEETING.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$3.00 each day including tax for all persons including ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

BOOKMAKERS, TIC TAC MEN ETC., WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO OPERATE WITHIN THE PREMISES OF THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB DURING THE RACE MEETING.

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BY ORDER:

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## THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

## SPECIAL CASH SWEEP ON THE KWANGTUNG HANDICAP 1950.

The running of the above has been postponed until Saturday, 14th instant. The sale of Cash Sweep tickets will therefore continue until Friday, 13th October, when sales will close at—

THE BRANCH OFFICES:—

382, Nathan Road—Kowloon

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5, D'Aguiar Street—Hong Kong

at 4 p.m. on Friday, 13th October, 1950.

THE TREASURERS' OFFICE—Telephone House,

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The Draw will be held at the Public Pari-Mutuel Hall the Race Course, at 11.30 a.m. on Saturday, 14th October, 1950.

By Order:

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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB  
EIGHTH RACE MEETING 1950.

The first day of the above advertised for Saturday, 7th October, 1950, has been postponed until Saturday, 14th October, 1950.

All previous arrangements as to Time and Entries together with Admission Tickets and Cash Sweep Tickets, including Through Chances already booked will hold good for that date.

The second day of the Meeting will be held as advertised on Monday, 9th October, 1950.

DECLARATIONS

Owners are notified that all starting declarations for Saturday, 7th October, 1950, are cancelled. Ponies starting on Saturday, 14th October, 1950, will require to be declared in the usual manner.

KWANGTUNG HANDICAP

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By Dick Turner



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## BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By Shepard Barclay

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THERE are situations in which failure to try the "Bath coup" is just plain bad bridge. Most players are familiar with that term, which is applied to a hold-up play when the opening lead has been a king from "king-queen" and others with the declarer holding the ace and jack of the suit, so that a repeat would assure him two tricks. If composition of the other suits is such that a shift by the leader to any of them promises to assist the declarer, he should play low and give the opponent a chance to help him.

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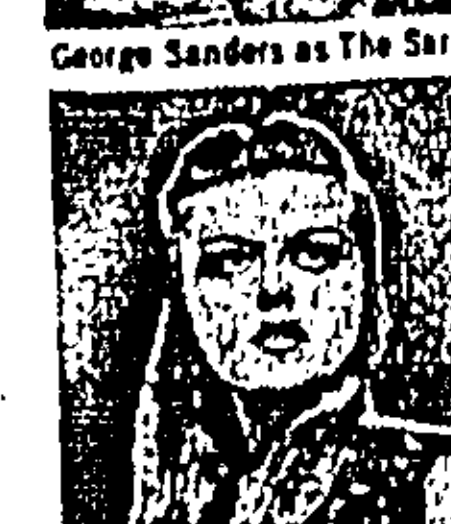
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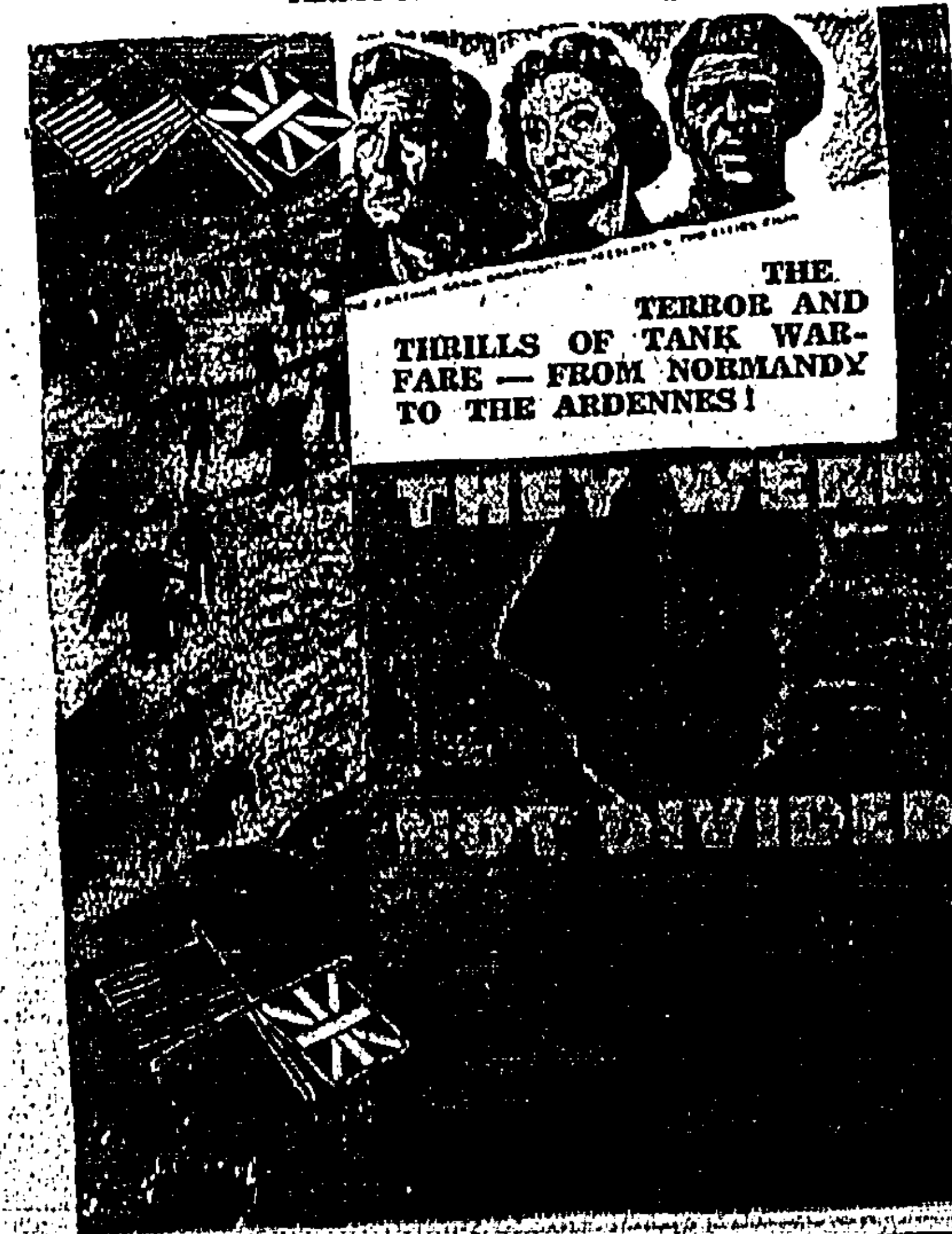
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## UNITED STATES TO PROTECT AUSTRIA

Washington, October 7.

The United States formally assured the Austrian Government today that it will take "proper action" to help maintain law and order in the United States occupation zone of Austria and Vienna.

The acting Secretary of State, Mr. James Webb, said in a note to the Austrian government that the action it has taken "in face of the present Communist-inspired and Soviet-supported disturbances has the full support of this government."

## Royal guards strengthened

London, October 7.  
British police chiefs have decided to strengthen the guards on all members of the Royal family and their homes, the London Evening News reported tonight.

The paper said that following the recent burglary at Marlborough House, London home of Queen Mary, a secret conference was called at Scotland Yard, police headquarters.

It was then decided that security measures for the entire royal family must be increased. The newspaper added that staffs at the royal households have been screened by special Scotland Yard detectives.

Scotland Yard refused to comment on the report: "We do not disclose arrangements regarding the security of the royal family," a spokesman said.—Reuter.

The note was in response to a telegram sent on Thursday to the Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, by the Austrian government. The telegram made an "urgent request" for immediate action supporting Austria in its efforts to combat Communist disorders.

Mr. Webb's note added, "I am particularly gratified at the courageous and determined manner in which your government and the Austrian people have met and are meeting their responsibilities in face of these illegal acts. Please be assured that this government will take proper action to fulfill its international commitments with respect to Austria, and in particular to assure the maintenance of law and order in the area of its responsibilities in Austria."

The note disclosed that the U.S. is issuing "appropriate instructions" to the U.S. High Commissioner, General Geoffrey Keyes, to see that prompt action will be taken if disorders occur.

Mr. Webb said the strong declaration "will serve to assure your government and people of our confidence in them and of our deep appreciation of the firmness of purpose which they have displayed in their efforts to maintain independence and freedom of action under these trying circumstances."—United Press.

## Assembly to debate Formosa

Flushing Meadow, October 7.

The United Nations General Assembly against Communist Chinese Nationalist and Russian objections, today voted to place the question of Formosa's future on its agenda.

By a vote of 42 to seven, with eight abstentions, the Assembly approved the inclusion of the item, originally proposed by the United States, and sent to the Political Committee for a full debate.

Both Dr. T. F. Tsiang, the Chinese Nationalist delegate, and Mr. Jacob Malik, of the Soviet Union, had argued that the United Nations had no right to discuss the political status of the island, last stronghold of General Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist regime.

The two delegates, who have been on opposite sides on all other issues before the Assembly, both agreed that Formosa's status had been decided by the Cairo Declaration, and confirmed later by the Potsdam Agreement.

Dr. Tsiang told the Assembly, "I find myself in strange company and I hope that this General Assembly will not consider me guilty by association."

He insisted that Formosa was an integral part of China and a "strong bulwark against Communism and the puppet regime in Peking."

Mr. Malik said that the Assembly was obliged to consider

## VARGAS INCREASES LEAD

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, October 7.

Ex-dictator Getulio Vargas increased his lead over his nearest rival for the Presidency to 478,000 votes today with the returns from Tuesday's election far from complete.

Incomplete unofficial returns at noon today gave:

Vargas, 934,984; Lieutenant General Eduardo Gomes, 456,893; Christiano Machado, 303,899.—Associated Press.

only one aspect of the Formosan question. That was, he contended, direct American aggression against China—the sending of the American fleet to Formosa waters.

Mr. Warren Austin (United States) said that Formosa's future status was of genuine interest and concern to the international community and "all interested parties" should be heard on this matter.

"This question should be decided, if possible, at this session of the General Assembly," Mr. Austin added.

The Assembly also placed on its agenda Soviet complaints of alleged "violation of Chinese air space" by American planes and the bombardment of a Chinese merchant ship by an American warship. These items were referred to the special Ad Hoc Political Committee.—Reuter.

## Another North Korean tank out of action



PFC. Frank Schlarone holds a bazooka which is lined up on a knocked-out North Korean tank. The tank's gun was shattered to prevent its further use.—A.P. Photo.

## NEW MOVES BY REDS FEARED

Washington, October 7.

American authorities were alerted today for possible new Communist disturbances in Europe, following a flare-up of the first serious disorders in Austria since the end of the war.

Apprehension was voiced in official quarters regarding probable clandestine aims underlying the Communist disturbances of the last few days in Austria.

But the chances were regarded as better than even that the next real trouble was being brewed by Moscow for Germany.

Outbreaks of Red-led violence in Europe had been anticipated by experts following the United Nations decision to fight the Communist invasion of South Korea. Soviet and Communist attention turned toward Asia about two years ago when the Communists met seven political defeats in France, Italy and other Western European countries.

Experts said that the Communists' philosophy of probing for weak spots in non-Communist areas could logically be diverted back to Europe, since nearly all American armed strength had been allocated to the Korean war. They said this knowledge of Communist tactics explains why the United States was anxious to win the Korean war and get the bulk of its troops into a position to block any thrust in Europe.

Germany has long been regarded as the prime target of Soviet extensionist aims.

The State Department's concern over Germany was put on record last week by Francis Russell,

Director of the Department's Office of Public Affairs. He told a Kiwanis meeting that the 1951 Soviet timetable calls for a major thrust in Germany.

The events cited by Mr. Russell included the recent Communist meetings in Eastern Germany, the 50 per cent Soviet "reduction" in reparations claims against Germany, and the Communist-sponsored elections set for October 15. He said the Kremlin is making "all-out efforts to open up the people of Western Germany through threats and other lines of psychological attack."

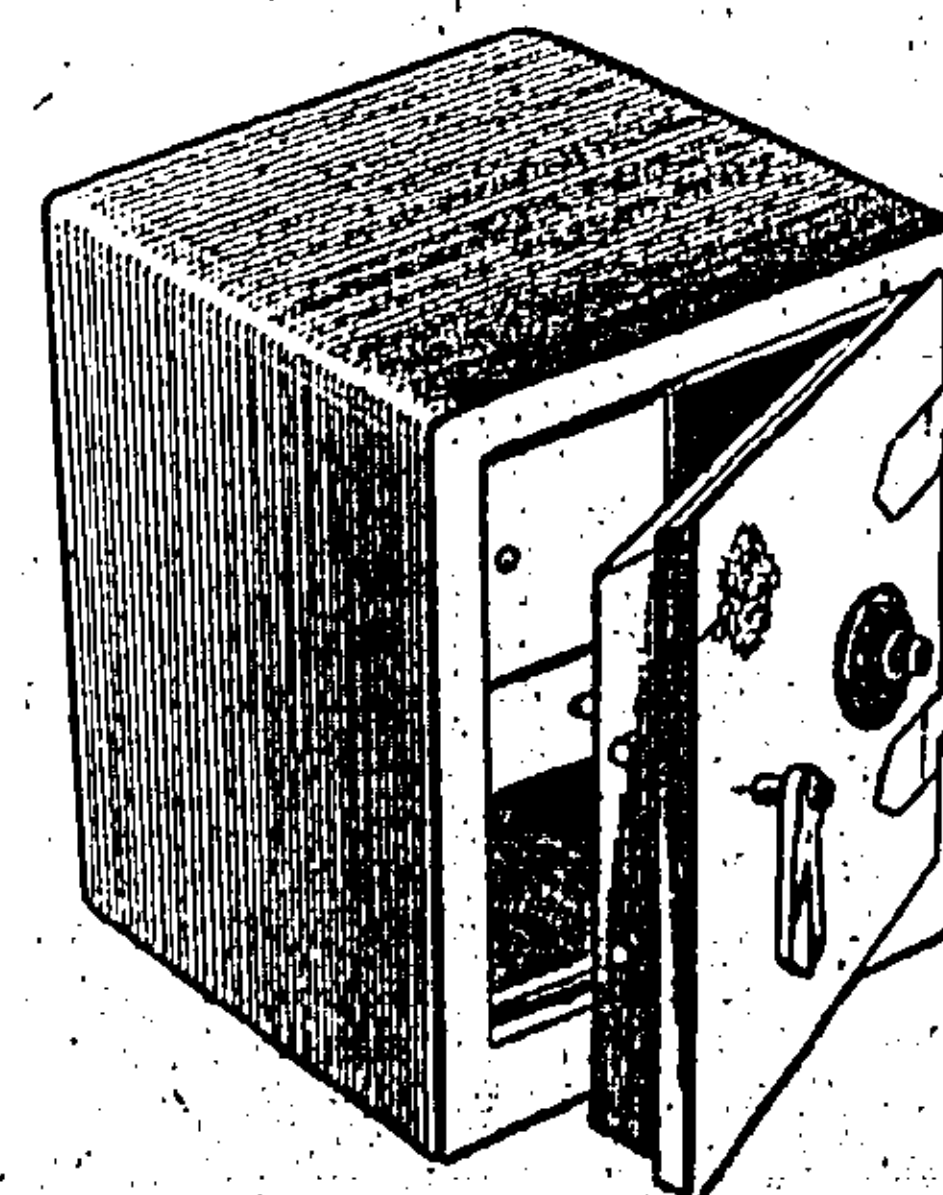
One thought in the minds of State Department officials is that the Soviets in Austria may be working up to a siege of Vienna, similar to that encountered two years ago in Berlin during the Soviet blockade.

The Communist tactics in Austria are also regarded as an effort to weaken the pro-Western Austrian Government.

Strategy to counter-attack new Communist attacks will be discussed here next between the Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, and the Austrian foreign minister, Herr Karl Gruber, who will arrive on Monday from Vienna.—United Press.

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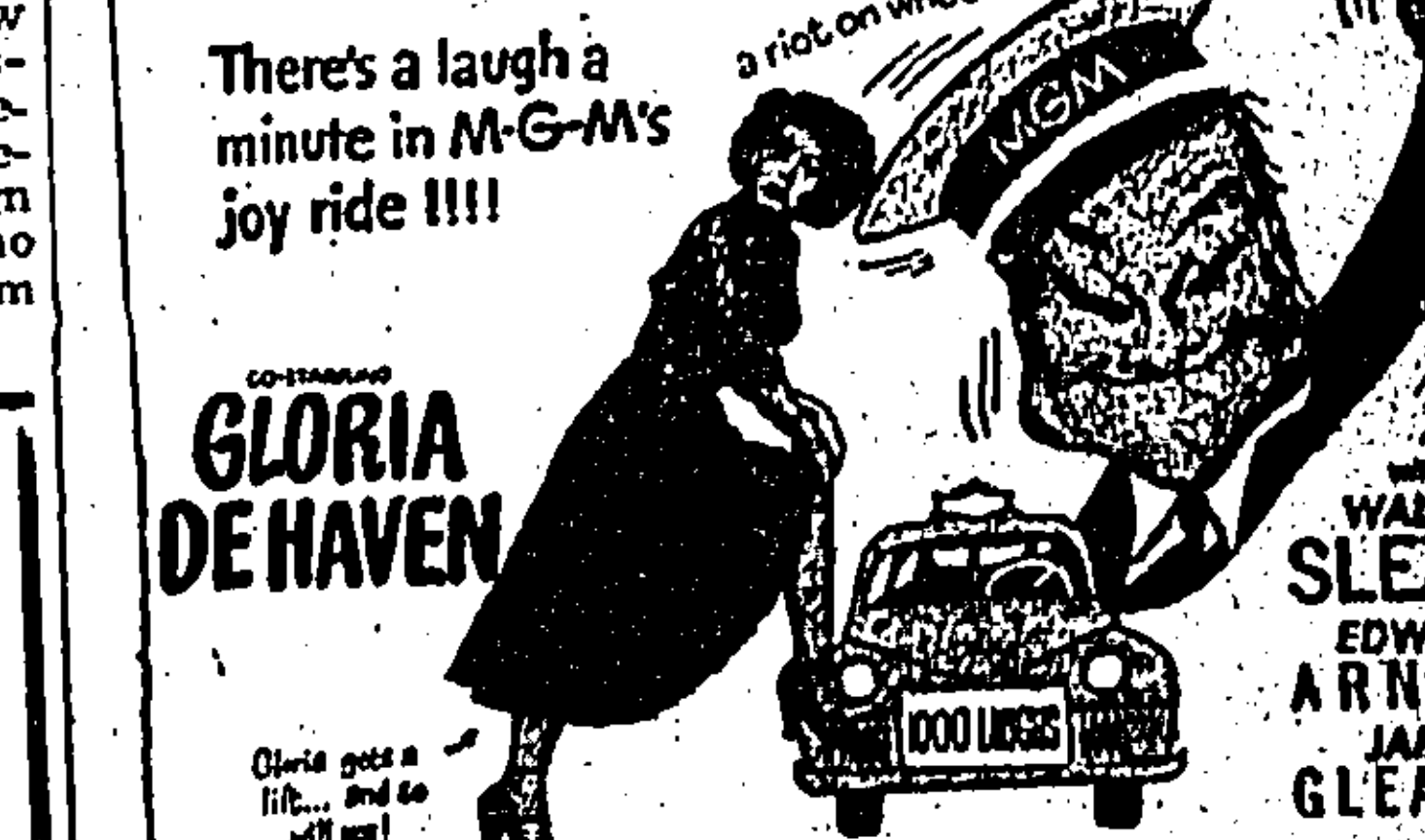
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MISS A. V. M. MOWFUNG and relatives of the late Mr. F. C. Mowfung wish to thank all friends for their expressions of sympathy and floral tributes in their recent sad bereavement and also for their attendance at the funeral.

# BIRTH

ROLFE—To Vera and Charles S. Rolfe, on 7th October 1950, at St. Teresa's Hospital, a son, Michael Lawrence.

# DEATH

EDWARDS—Baby Francis, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Edwards on 8th October, at St. Teresa's Hospital, a son, Happy Valley at 5:30 p.m. today.

# SIGNPOSTS TO THE FUTURE

"I have no doubt that if the statements of China do not include in aggression, and upset the show again—it there is a little patience shown and events are handled carefully—ere long the new China will find herself associated with the rest of us in trying to build a new world.

In the rather bumbling way in which he habitually delivers speeches on foreign affairs, the British Foreign Secretary nevertheless put the path of China's future clearly enough in his statement at the Labour Party Conference at Margate. It was better, he said, to usher Communist China into the comity of nations—the United Nations—than to make her fight her way in. China was part of the "great Asian emergence," and the world is now working its way round to the point of view which led to early British recognition.

As to Russia, Mr. Bevin said he did not think she would be so unwise as to seek an all-out war but rather would be a bit more careful after the lesson of Korea. That indeed is one of the major objectives of Western re-armament and the Western determination to use force against aggression. The task is to convince not only Russia but Communist Parties elsewhere that they have less to hope than to fear from the chance of armed force.

This applies with particular urgency to the Chinese Communists as the United Nations forces are about to go forward in North Korea. All they have done to conquer inflation, all their hopes of early entry into the United Nations, would go with the wind if they decided on armed intervention. And what the United Nations seeks to do in a final settlement in Korea is based on principles even Peking should be glad to acknowledge. In spite of all Communist propaganda, American and British policy have no aggressive designs. They want peace in Korea—a peace that the United Nations, which is nobody's puppet, can inspire and sanction.

# A boxer tells his ring secrets--No. 7

# FIGHTING IS MY LIFE

By Ted Broadribb

So you'll probably think I'm crazy when I tell you that, years later, I was concerned in a promotion myself. I don't have to tell you—it didn't do so well. It sounded good when Basil Chandler, Garland Wells and Charlie Luper asked me to stage a show.

Chandler fancied being a promoter, and said if I would be interested he would put on some fights. We formed a company called British Sporting Promotions and I put in £500, which Chandler made up to £1,000 on my behalf. We put on a fine bill of six-round fights at Clapton dog track and I have no doubt it would have been a smashing night—except that Chandler would insist on running it on Ascot Friday.

We lost something like £1,500, and once again I had to advise "Cut your losses." That was the end, though. Later I was interested with Luper and Joe Morris in another show. Morris was managing Teddy Baldoock and I had Dick Corbett, and we couldn't get any one to put up a purse for them.

I suggested to Luper that we should run the show to see if we could get back the money we lost earlier. We worked on a percentage with the Clapton track this time, and made a profit of something like £1,200, which just about put things straight. Incidentally, I won the fight with Corbett, so I had every reason to be satisfied for tempting providence again.

Its something I've done often, of course, for myself, but at least it makes me measure up as something of a gambler. I've seldom been tempted to gamble with my fighters in the ring. As a matter of fact, whenever I've taken a long chance with any of them it has invariably been at the fighter's request. One occasion I remember was with Tommy Noble. A couple of days after he had fought 20 rounds against George Clark, I had offered £45 for him to fight Jimmy Wilde at Liverpool 10 days later. Tommy was to be a substitute for Louis Ruddock, who couldn't do 8 stone 4 lb., and I didn't fancy it at all, because

frankness in place of palpable fraud.

Meanwhile the other aspect of the problem has been taken a stage further by the Commonwealth Consultative Committee on aid to Asia. The committee of the conference, which ended a few days ago, said that the project of co-operative economic development in South and South East Asia, has now been translated into concerted proposals for action. The unanimous report adopted by the Committee contains a detailed development programme, covering a period of six years, as from July 1 next year, for Ceylon, India, Pakistan, Malaya, Singapore, North Borneo and Sarawak. To carry out these programmes, estimated to cost nearly £1,750 millions in six years it is necessary to overcome great difficulties caused by the shortage of trained man-power and of finance.

A Council for Technical Co-operation has been set up which will work through a Technical Assistance Bureau located in Colombo. This will be a sort of clearing-house for inter-Governmental arrangements, to give technical help to under-developed countries. The Commonwealth Governments have agreed to finance this Bureau up to a maximum of £8,000,000 over the first three years. The problem of providing capital for development remains to be solved, and it cannot be solved without American and other aid. As the British Minister of Economic Affairs has said, the programmes laid down are beyond the financial capacity of the Commonwealth as a whole. The engineers and technicians, too, will have to be obtained from as wide a field as possible.

It will be all the harder to carry out these programmes now that so many countries have had to go in for substantial re-armament. But we all know that the gaze of the millions of Asia are straining towards the goal of better living and social standards, now that their political aims have been attained or are in process of attainment. Peace in South and South East Asia as the Indian delegate recently said, now means keeping the wolf from the door.

only six days before the Liverpool show Noble weighed 9 stone 6 lb.

"You can't do eight-four in a week," I told Tommy, having decided that he shouldn't fight. Quick as lightning Tommy came back with: "Mr. Broadribb, I'll do eight-four if it kills me. I want to fight Wilde."

**Baths and salts**

"All right, Tommy, if you feel that way," I told him, and he spent a large slice of the next three or four days in the Savoy Turkish Baths in Newington Butts, in one of the hottest rooms, with all his clothes on. In the same period he took a pound and a half of salts.

He went to scale in Liverpool at 8 st. 3½ lb. To build him to 10 st. I had him take a bottle of brandy and at night I took him half a bottle of champagne and the remains of the brandy and jelly into the ring with me.

Once he knocked Wilde down, and we thought Tommy had won, but the bell saved Jimmy. I kept stoking Noble up with my congratulations. He had to win, and I still think he might have done if our stock of stimulants had not run out in the 12th round. I feel sure that it was only exhaustion which lured him, but if ever there was a game boy, that little beggar was the one.

Actually I seconded fighters against Wilde only twice, and in the other instance had the satisfaction of seeing my boy go 19 rounds with the mighty atom. That was Billy Paddon, and the match was made at 6 st. 12 lb. It was probably the only time Wilde ever fought anyone lighter than himself.

The fight was at the Victoria Club, Glasgow, and I spent a fortnight training Paddon at Bobwell for a well-known Scottish backer, who would have picked up a packet of dough if he had won. That he got within one round of going the distance is evidence of how close the gamble was to succeeding.

Did I say gamble? Well, you're really got to gamble on your own judgment if you're going to get anywhere in boxing.

# Battle of giants

Next time you look up to a six-foot policeman, reflect that he would have looked a sorry compared to William Lawrence Stripling, the quiet fellow who the world knew as "The Gentle Giant." And Stripling in his turn looked a giant beside Primo Carnera. That will give you an idea of how the boards creaked under me in the Royal Albert Hall ring on the night of November 18, 1929. I was in there with the pair of them refereeing the first of the "coming-out" fights of the 18-stone-odd Italian, nearly 6 ft. 6 in. tall, who was to go on to the heavy-weight championship of the world.

Everyone was anxious to know how this ambulating bulk of humanity measured up judged by world standards, and the crowd had forked out more than £7,000, with five-guinea "tops," a lot of money in those days, to form their own opinion.

In his only previous bout in Britain, a month earlier, Carnera had clubbed Joe Stacey to defeat in a round, and no one had really any idea of just what he could do. What was going to happen now that he was faced by an American of great experience, with nearly 300 fights under his belt, only nine of which had ended in defeat?

# On trial

I certainly didn't profess to know the answer, and although it did not really concern me, I must confess to a certain tenseness about the whole business. I was really on trial as a referee, and I was sure that if Carnera's first fight against Stanley—but somehow this was different.

I was in there as third man only because I was a rebel—in the sense that I had resigned from the Board of Control to support promoter Jeff Dickson since the Board wouldn't give him a licence. Somehow I felt that a lot depended on me, and as things turned out that was the case. I had to make one of those decisions which no one enjoys doing.

I had expected that Carnera would set out as attacker and use the same type of clumsy, almost uneducated technique which had taken him to victory so quickly against Stanley. Instead it was Stripling who danced right in from the first bell, and the crowd let themselves go when the American scored the first success by clipping a right hand to the jaw which made the Italian shake his head more than somewhat.

# Giant outboxed

Then Stripling threw a wild lead which missed, but followed with a punch to the pit of the stomach which made the Italian blow a bit. For the first two rounds he clearly outboxed Carnera. He made some of the main-mountains work look very crude as he pulled his head sharply out of the way of telegraphed leads to make Primo

miss by sometimes as much as a foot.

At every possible opportunity Stripling, in spite of being something like four stones lighter than his opponent, boded in with vicious punches to the body. Carnera was beginning to look worried as if he was wondering just how he was allowing the "little un" to punch him around as he had never been punched before.

It roused him. But as the American tore in time and again all that Carnera managed to do was to hold with bear-like arms. Stripling turned to me to protest, and I had to point out to him sharply that the Italian wasn't the only offender.

"You're both at it," I said.

In spite of the punches he had taken, Carnera was trying desperately to get the hang of things in the third round. It must have made Stripling wild when he cracked in a left hand to the ribs which would have sent any ordinary heavy-weight toppling, because Carnera only grinned.

He wasn't grinning, though, a moment later when a punch on the jaw sent him sprawling across the canvas. The crowd went wild. This, they thought, was it. But it wasn't. The Italian, coolly enough, waved his hand to his corner to let him know that he knew exactly what he was doing. He got up after a short count to repeat the clubbing effort which had accounted for Stanley, primitive in the extreme, but exceedingly effective to put his opponent down.

Stripling got up, and experience taught him to guard his "sacred" spot. He came back to his feet and then really went at him hammer and tongs. Stripling came out for the fourth round as if he meant to finish the job. He rushed Carnera to the ropes, hooking him to the chin and following with a punch to the body which crumpled Carnera like a pack of cards.

# 'What happened?'

A knock-out? No, I'm afraid not. For Carnera was forced to discontinue Stripling without a moment's hesitation. The crowd, whose sympathies were obviously with the under-dog, let me know all about it, but when they realised that there was no doubt about my decision being correct the hullabaloo quickly died down.

I got out of the ring and hurried towards the dressing-room. But I hadn't reached it when a hand grabbed me and a voice said: "Ted, the Prince of Wales wants to see you." "Who, me?" I inquired. I couldn't believe it. Then I was told that the Prince was sitting in the front row of the ringside seats, and I was taken to him quite what I didn't know.

I think I started off by saying: "Your Majesty," and followed up in the same breath with "Your Highness." I was down on one knee to prevent obstructing the spectators' view of the ring, and he tapped me on the shoulder and said, very quietly, and in a manner which gave me back all my confidence, "That's all right, be natural."

"What happened?" he asked me. "He hit him low, sir, without any doubt," I said.

That evening was really the beginning of the Dickson era, which went a long way towards giving Britain and the United States equality in the matter of boxing promotion on a large scale.

For my night's work I got £450—£250 from Dickson, and £200 each from Leon See, manager of Carnera, and "Pa" Stripling. Not bad for 12 minutes' work, and certainly faster earning than I had been capable of in the days which followed the departure of Major Arnold Filson from the fight business.

# Street bookmaker

I was street bookmaking then for rather I should say that I was putting men in the streets to bet on my behalf. I managed to run three pitches, but it was a continual battle with the police, who used all kinds of ruses to arrest the men who were taking betting slips.

In the end I called it a day—gave up the unequal struggle. But there's one thing that has to be realised by officialdom. No matter what tactics are employed to combat it, the working man will have his bet each way. It's part of his existence—it helps him to forget the thousand and one other worries. As long as it isn't permitted officially, he'll do it all the more. It's the old idea of stolen fruit being best. And it's my conviction that free and open betting would actually curtail the amount of gambling.

By legalising it, and taxing the takings, the Government would have a vast potential source of revenue. No one would be happier than the bookmakers, who would then be able to carry on their businesses without thinking they were doing something wrong. After all, is betting as criminal as all that? Have you ever heard of a fighter winning a title on protest? Probably not, but I want a long

way to helping Nel Tarleton clinch the first of the two Lonsdale Belts by making his own property by protecting—voluntarily on his behalf.

At Wembley, on December 19, 1934, Tarleton faced the prospect of losing to London's Dave Crowley the featherweight championship he had already won from Johnny Cuthbert and lost and re-won from Seaman Tommy Watson.

The prince of make-believe—that was always the way I regarded Tarleton in the ring, because he was among the best "foxers" and "kidders" of an opponent I ever handled—was going along very nicely for the first half of the contest, conserving his energy in a way that only Tarleton could, dodging this punch and saying, in effect, "I don't want that one." In fact, he looked well on the way to a points victory. Then, in the ninth round, Crowley answered the bell for the 10th, the jaw which had Nel almost out on his feet. His knees began to buckle, his eyes rolled, and it looked any odds on his going out, but with the crowd in a frenzy of excitement, the slip of a lad from Liverpool hung grimly on.

Every possible kind of advice seemed to be coming from Crowley's corner, but Tarleton hung on, broke away a fraction, and then hung on again until his head cleared. When his mind was a little clearer he danced away from danger.

But the end of the round was almost as big a relief to me as it was to him, and there was no doubt that when he went up to answer the bell for the 10th he hadn't completely recovered. Almost as soon as the men faced each other I called to the referee, Mr. C. B. Thomas, "Look at Crowley, look at that vaseline on his face."

The referee stopped the men boxing, and asked for a towel. There were protests from Crowley's corner, but the referee was not to be moved. He wiped the challenger's face with the towel before allowing the fight to go on.

From that moment, the "needle" was definitely there. Crowley tossed in everything in that round, and it took every trick Tarleton knew to enable him to keep away from the vicious two-handed attack of the Londoner.

From that time there's no doubt that it was a boxing brain rather than anything Tarleton had in the way of stamina which enabled him to keep out of trouble, and it said a lot for his ability that he managed to stay ahead of a man who was undoubtedly a good deal stronger to earn a points victory.

That was Tarleton all over, and it's as fine a tribute as can be paid to a man who was once told that he was too frail to box. I had him under my management for five years, and during that time he never once lost a fight when I was in his corner. And no manager can ask for more than that.

It was only by a useful stroke of planning that I ever had him at all. I was managing Harry Corbett, the featherweight champion, and advances were being made for him to meet Dom Volante of Liverpool. I would agree to it only on condition that Volante won I would manage him. New Volante and Tarleton were friendly, and when Volante agreed to sign with me, Tarleton said he would like to do the same.

(To be continued)



Government announces that to meet the needs of modern aircraft, there will be runway inflation at Kai Tak.

"Wool again hardening." My own opinion is that it's the arch's fault.

The Labour Party conference supported the government's stand-offish attitude to Europe. They Schuman age to make themselves popular on the Continent.

"Only 10 decent buildings left in Seoul." The others are doing a roaring trade.

Missionary's wife in a remote district of Africa had five children, a hundred miles from any help.

Solitary confinement.

"Mr. Heard a voice behind him say, 'Keep quiet,' and something prodded him in the back. It was daylight." Impatient to be let through him, no doubt.

Errol Flynn seen fishing from small boat. The report didn't say if the hero of the Burma rowed.

"Bevan's appeal was considered significant in view of rumblings of shrdluuupupu pupu vobqal j among left-wing rank and file party members." Certainly sound in an ugly mood.

School-children sit in trains while elderly people stand. The non-rising generation.

Myrtle is a forthright young woman. At bridge she always calls a spade three spades.

Suppose we'll all be racing off now to buy more tickets. I for one hope to make a clean sweep of it this time.

A Chinese man's temperature went up to 112 degrees in London. He'd probably been reading Chou En-lai's latest effusion.

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# IN ASSEMBLY TELLS MACARTHUR: GO AHEAD Crossing of Parallel to unify Korea

Flushing Meadow, October 7.

The United Nations General Assembly tonight gave General Douglas MacArthur the "go ahead" for crossing the 38th Parallel in pursuit of North Korean forces.

It was the effect of an eight-Power resolution passed by 47 votes to five with seven abstentions. Only the Soviet Union and its supporters voted against.

plan, aimed at establishing a unified and independent Korea, was embodied in the following recommendations:

All appropriate steps to be taken to ensure conditions of stability throughout Korea. (46 votes to five with seven abstentions).

All constituent steps to be taken, including the holding of elections under United Nations supervision, for the establishment of a free, independent and democratic government in Korea. (46 votes to five with seven abstentions).

All sections and representatives in North and South Korea to co-operate in restoring peace, holding elections and establishing a unified government. (46 votes to five with seven abstentions).

That United Nations forces should not remain in any part of Korea except as necessary to achieve the objects of the plan. (46 votes to five with seven abstentions).

Economic rehabilitation (54 votes to five with five abstentions).

That all necessary measures be taken to achieve economic rehabilitation of Korea. (54 votes to five with five abstentions).

The establishment of a United Nations Commission for Korea, consisting of Australia, Canada, Holland, Pakistan, the Philippines, Turkey and Thailand. (46 votes to five with seven abstentions).

The Assembly rejected a Soviet motion for the withdrawal of all foreign troops from Korea. Voting was 48 to five with seven abstentions.

The Soviet delegate, Mr. Jacob Malik, explaining why he voted against the majority plan, declared that it was "completely unacceptable as it provides for the complete occupation of Korea and in no way calls for a peaceful settlement of the Korean conflict."

India was among the seven nations which abstained from voting on the majority plan.

Benegal Rau, Indian delegate to the Assembly, said his country viewed with the gravest concern the plan, which he said, authorized, if not directly at least by implication, occupation of North Korea by United Nations.

The Indian Government feared that the result might be to produce a new partition of India.

## MULTI-MILLION CHINESE 'VARSITY'

Singapore, October 7. Chinese community leaders, concerned at the migration of Chinese students to English schools run by the government, are considering the establishment in Singapore of a multi-million dollar Chinese university, to help preserve Chinese language, culture, arts and science.

Prime mover of the scheme is millionaire Tan Lark Sye, who said the Singapore Hokkien Association that a Chinese university in the colony would solve the problems of Chinese middle school boys and girls who are unable to proceed to China for a higher education.

Singapore has eight Chinese high schools catering for boys and girls. But Chinese education authorities note a preference among Chinese parents to send their children to English schools. The latter are springing up at the rate of 18 a year under the government's 10-year education scheme.

Main aim of the 10-year plan to combat the tendency towards communism among young people through an English education. The Malaya Federation has a similar scheme but on a smaller scale.

Talk of establishing a first class Chinese university here raises the problem of acquisition of teaching staff. It is got from Red China there is a danger of infiltration of Communist ideologies.

## SITUATION UNCHANGED

Tokyo, October 8. A high military source said today that the United Nations decision authorising General MacArthur to pursue the North Korean Communists North of the 38th Parallel "doesn't change the situation."

He remarked that South Korean forces under General MacArthur's command are already across and only the military situation prevented the Americans from following.

He pointed out that American units on the left flank were faced with the job of mopping up the Reds in and near Seoul and were not yet ready to push North whereas the South Koreans faced only minor resistance in their push up the East coast.

The South Koreans are advancing according to an overall plan which includes American troops on the left flank, which will advance when regrouped and re-equipped.

"You can't just go across piecemeal," he said.

MacArthur's job is basically to complete the defeat of the North Korean Army in order to carry out the United Nations programme for unifying the country.—United Press.

## INDULGENCES FOR CATHOLICS

Rome, October 6. Vatican circles said tonight that the Pope will announce the indulgence to the whole world when he closes the Church's 25th Holy Year in Rome on Christmas Eve.

This means that Catholics who have not been able to visit Rome this year can, nevertheless, gain the plenary indulgence—relief from temporal punishment for sin—granted during the Holy Year if they perform certain spiritual exercises and visits to local churches.—Reuter.

## "New Australians" want to join up

Sydney, October 7.

Many bitterly anti-Communist "New Australians" have applied to join Australian military units, but they have been turned down because the Defence Act bars aliens from serving in the nation's armed forces.

Twenty-year-old Pateris Kocins, a Latvian migrant, walked into the office of "Smith's Weekly," a national news weekly, and said, "The thought of Reds endangering my second homeland is more than I can bear. They must be stopped before they reach Australia. I want to help."

"Smith's" said it has been suggested that if the law cannot be altered, then a foreign legion of New Australians should be formed.

But like 70,000 DP's under the age of 40, Kocins will, under existing laws, remain an alien until he has lived here five years. Yet many of the European migrants are trained airmen, sailors and soldiers.

"What are we going to do about them?" asked "Smith's." "Wait five years until they are naturalised and eligible to serve, or amend the law and let them serve."

"If we do amend the law, we shall get from their ranks valuable recruits for service anywhere in the world. And that would be a positive gain when recruiting is dragging," "Smith's" added.

"Smith's" added, "we shall not only deny tens of thousands of New Australians what they believe to be their right; we shall also plant the seeds of social bitterness."

"Smith's" warned of the bitterness Australians in uniform would have towards immigrants in behind-the-lines jobs. "Remember

what happened during and after World War II—the stigma of reitro, the enmity between Australians under arms and the segregated aliens in the camps," it said.

Polish veterans During the last war, naturalised aliens were first allowed to register for service anywhere in the world. Later, regulations provided that all the recruits should be put into alien labour corps.

Main argument against a foreign legion plan is that it would repeat the segregation of the last war. New Australians don't care for the idea either. They want to be Australian soldiers fighting for Australia with Australians.

One of the largest migrant groups is the Poles. Many of the 27,000 now in Australia served with the Royal Air Force and fought in Tobruk.

Among the other large groups are Latvians, Yugoslavs, Ukrainians, Lithuanians, Hungarians, Czechs and Estonians. Many claim to have experienced what they call the "Red Terror," and do not want a second round.

An argument frequently raised by alien settlers open enlistment of alien settlers into the armed forces is that of "security."

Said "Smith's": "That consideration has not prevented Britain and America from taking their new citizens into the Services. Nor should it be a bogey in Australia."

"Smith's" clamoured that the whole problem be tackled boldly "to give the newcomers their right to serve."—United Press.

## Travel ban on Australian Reds

Sydney, October 7.

The Government has clamped down on trips by Australian Communists to Russia and satellite countries.

The Minister for Immigration, Mr. Harold Holt, said recently, "In future, passports will not normally be made valid for travel to countries within the Communist orbit." The same policy will apply to "certain other areas."

("Out of bounds" in the Communist orbit: Russia, Hungary, Rumania, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria, China and Eastern Germany. "Certain other areas" include Korea, Yugoslavia.)

The trend of world affairs brings home more widely each day the need to take the fullest precautions to safeguard the national interest," said Mr. Holt.

It was agreed, he said, to "confine normal travel facilities to those countries which could not be regarded as possible danger zones."

He added, however, that the government would issue a passport for a Communist country if the applicant was not regarded as a security risk and had a legitimate reason for the visit.

Bitterly opposed In recent years anti-Communist groups bitterly opposed visits or planned visits of Communist Australian union officials to attend "conferences" in Moscow, Prague, Budapest or Peking.

Asked the "Sydney Morning Herald": "By what stretch of imagination can any Australian worker believe that his interests are served by having his union represented at one of the current series of 'peace meetings' which the Cominform has organised in Europe to help soften up the democracies?"

The government last July refused a passport to a Communist representative of the Eureka Youth League who hoped to go to Peking at the invitation of a Chinese "youth movement."

The Sydney Morning Herald then said, "The truth is that we are at war with Soviet-backed Communism wherever its manoeuvres threaten our existence. Considerations of security must therefore be increasingly valid in the treatment of the professed enemies of democracy in our midst."—United Press.

## Atrocities to be investigated

Manila, October 6.

The United Nations Commission on Korea intends to make a thorough investigation of atrocities committed by North Korean Communists South of the 38th parallel, the acting Foreign Affairs Secretary, Mr. Felino Neri, said he has been informed.

Mr. Neri said he was informed of the move by Dr. Bernabe Africa, Philippines representative on the Commission, who is in Korea at present.

Dr. Africa reported that the Commission has already confirmed by its own observations on the spot that civilians and prisoners of war in South Korea "have been murdered in ghastly fashion contrary to civilized standards of behaviour and the Geneva convention."—Associated Press.

## SINGAPORE'S RECORD

Singapore, October 7. More than 10,016 merchant vessels called at Singapore—gateway to the East—during 1949, a post-war record.

More than half of the total tonnage of 22,924,795 tons was British. Dutch ships came next with 2,000 ships, the Marine Department reported.

Part of the total which came for refuelling and restorage was 20 Royal Navy warships and 60 fleet auxiliaries of other navies, the report states.—Associated Press.

## SECOND 'BATTLE OF BRITAIN'

London, October 7.

The Air Ministry today warned Britons the peace of their homes and office and factory routine might be disturbed by low flying bomber attacks and fighters rearing over the city at roof-top levels in the country's biggest air exercise since the war.

To add to realism, normally stringent low flying restrictions had been relaxed. More than 1,000 planes from the British, American, Danish, Norwegian, Belgian and Dutch air forces went into action early in the day to test Britain's newest and still secret defence techniques against the threat of high-speed atom attack.

The "second battle of Britain"—officially named "Exercise Empress"—will last until October 15. With American heavy bombers in the role of the "enemy," day and night attackers, and Britain's latest jet fighters going up to meet them, pilots had been given permission to "hedge hop" and "flat hat" as they would in actual combat.

An Air Ministry statement today said this low level air activity might cause "some disturbances" and added: "Such inconveniences are regretted—but large-scale exercises of the kind are essential if we are to have a well trained force and efficient air defence."—Reuter.

## Bangkok exposition

Bangkok, October 7.

The United Kingdom, United States, Italy, India, the Philippines, Japan and Korea are to participate in the Far East International Exposition opening here on December 5.

Exhibitors will be able to move into stalls by November 15, the date by which it is hoped to complete the six major buildings.

The promoters state there has been sufficient support from exhibitors to warrant going ahead with the plans.

An interesting sidelight will be the selection of "Miss Far East." Invitations will be sent to other Eastern nations to send representatives for the gigantic beauty contest.—Associated Press.

## BEER FOR PI TROOPS

Manila, October 7.

Colonel Andres Soriano, president of the San Miguel Brewery, announced by long-distance telephone from New York that he would donate to the Philippine 10th Battalion Combat team now in Korea all the beer necessary so that each man may have one bottle daily.

Colonel Soriano has already offered 500 cases of beer for the 10th Battalion Combat Team.—United Press.

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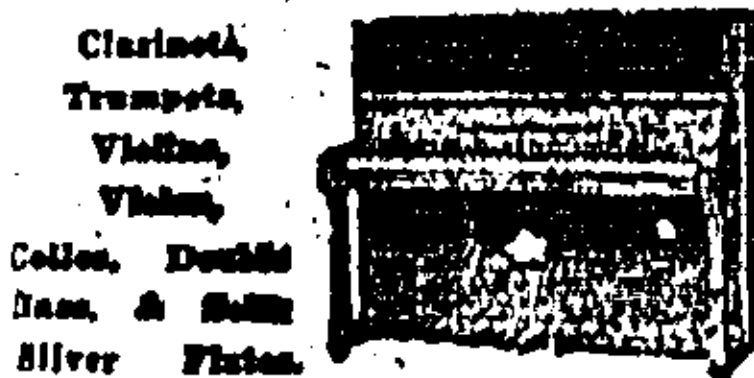
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A.M.  
7.00—"Up With The Sun."  
7.30—"Musical Clock."  
7.45—"Morning Variety."  
8.00—"News & Weather Forecast."  
8.15—"Random Rhythms."  
8.30—"Breakfast Special."  
9.00—"Morning Music."  
9.15—"A programme for Women."  
9.30—"Hobby"—Radio Australia.  
9.50—"Relay"—Voice of America.  
10.15—"Relay"—Radio Canada.  
11.00—"News"—Armed Forces Radio  
Service.  
11.15—"Relay"—M.B.C.—Manila.  
11.30—"Make Believe Ballroom."

P.M.  
12.00—"H.K. Stock Exchange."  
12.15—"Time Time."  
12.30—"Lunch Call."  
1.00—"Plano."  
1.15—"Green."  
1.30—"Orch. Concert."  
2.00—"Afternoon Music."  
2.15—"B.B.C. News."  
2.40—"Slim Bryant and His Wildcats."  
2.55—"Vocally Yours."  
3.00—"Music Makers."  
3.15—"Harmony Hall."  
3.30—"Children's Corner."  
3.45—"Radio Headlines."  
3.50—"Request Programme."  
4.00—"The Jumpin' Janks."  
4.15—"Do You Remember?"  
4.30—"Songs From The Films."  
4.45—"Candlelight and Silver."  
5.00—"B.B.C. News."  
5.15—"Concert Miniature."  
5.30—"Music By Ruth."  
5.45—"Maiden Merry Go Round."  
6.00—"Carroll Gibbons and His Orch."  
6.30—"Crusy Quiz."  
6.45—"B.B.C. News."  
7.00—"Local News."  
7.15—"Silks and Saddles."  
7.30—"Make Believe Ballroom."  
7.45—"Music of Manhattan."  
8.00—"A Date with Dreamland."  
8.20—"Close Down."

8.00—"Plano and Violin Recital"—William  
Kapell and Jascha Heifetz.  
8.10—"Waltzes and Tangoes."  
10.00—"British Concert"—Hall-Yorkshire  
Symphony Orch. (BBCFS)  
10.35—"Film Selections with Peter York"  
A Film Concert Orch.  
11.30—"Time for Music"—The BBC Mid-  
land Light Orch. (BBCFM)  
12.00—"Ballets from Diale."  
12.30—"Hong Kong Calling"—Program-  
me Summary.  
12.32—"Not Brandwynne and His Orch."  
12.45—"London Studio Melodrama"—Lauda  
Levy and His Orch. and Chorus.  
(BBCFS)  
1.15—"News, Weather Report and An-  
nouncements."  
1.30—"Music for You."  
2.00—"Herman Pink and His Orch."  
2.15—"Sing Up the Curtain"—Excerpts  
from "Romeo and Juliet"  
(Gunnell) B.B.C. Theatre Orch.  
(BBCFS)  
3.00—"Eugen Wolf and His Orch."  
3.15—"Popular Variety."  
4.00—"Variety Handicap"—From the  
Kilburn Empire, London. (BBCFS)  
4.30—"Ten Time Music"—With Burnaby  
Van Geesey and His Orch.  
5.00—"The Goose Girl"—Based on  
Grimm's fairy tale. Script and  
Production by Francis Dillon.  
(BBCFS)  
6.00—"Hong Kong Calling"—Program-  
me Summary.  
6.02—"Melodies from British Radio."  
George Crow and His Blue  
Mariners Dance Orch. with Har-  
born Summer. (BBCFS)  
6.30—"Portuguese Half Hour" (Studio)  
7.00—"Come Into the Parlour"—Music  
and Songs from Northern Ireland.  
with Ann Hich, Hans Carson and  
Billy McCormack, Eddie Shaw and  
His Band and David Curry and  
The Irish Rhythms, and the Parlour  
Singers. (BBCFS)  
7.30—"Fifth Leland and Her Orch. and  
Herbert Orch. (Toner)."  
8.00—"World News and News Analysis."  
(London Relay)  
8.15—"I Like What I Like"—Presented  
by Katherine de Chaffoy. (Studio)  
8.45—"Linda Carter Talks on Films."  
(Studio)  
9.00—"From the Editorials" (London  
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9.10—"Weather Report."  
9.11—"Concerto"—Tchaikowsky Piano  
Concerto No. 1 in B Flat Minor,  
Op. 23, Arthur Robinson Piano  
with the Minneapolis Symphony  
Orch. Conducted by Dimitri  
Mitropoulos. (BBCFS)  
9.15—"True." (BBCFS)  
10.15—"Lathi American Music."  
10.30—"United Nations Album."  
10.45—"Dance to Glenn Miller and His  
Orch."  
11.00—"Radio News Reel" (London Relay)  
11.15—"Weather Report."  
11.30—"Goodnight Music."  
God Save the King.  
11.30—"Close Down."

**WARNING TO U.S.**

Washington, October 7.  
Mr. W. Stuart Symington,  
Chairman of the National Security  
Resources Board, warned the  
United States today that she  
might lose the next war if she  
relaxed her defence efforts.  
Russia's possession of the atom  
bomb and a capacity to deliver  
it faced America with the greatest  
danger in its history, he declared.  
He warned against any relaxa-  
tion of the efforts to build a  
strong defence, declaring that  
America had no complete pro-  
tection against the atom bomb.  
"There is no secret in the fact  
that our two greatest allies, the  
Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, are  
not the same allies that they once  
were," Mr. Symington said.—  
Reuter.

**THE WORLD USES  
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Washington, October 6.  
Russia and the United States  
are using British jet engine  
designs, the Aircraft Industries  
Association said today.  
Britain had supplied jet air-  
craft to most of the world's air  
forces. She sold Russia about 60  
jet engines in 1947, the Associa-  
tion said. These were believed to  
be the basis for the engines in  
some of Russia's present jet war-  
planes.  
The Association said that Russia  
had five known jet planes: three  
fighters, the MIG-9, Yak-15 and  
Yak-17, and two bombers, the  
four-engined Ilyushin and the  
two-engined Tupolev.—Reuter.

**Malayan delegates' views on Commonwealth conference**

London, October 7.

**Dato Onn and C.C. Tan, Malaya and Malaya Chinese delegates to the Commonwealth Consultative Committee on Aid to Southern Asia, said in an interview today that they were both very satisfied with the results of the conference.**

Both delegates said they had been impressed during their visit to Britain by the Labour Government's town planning projects which had been demonstrated to them during visits to sites of "satellite towns" in the outer London area.

They said they aimed to introduce similar projects in Singapore and Malaya "with certain modifications made necessary by Malaya's climatic conditions and the availability of material and suitable sites."

Onn said: "In England the idea is to transplant light industries to newly planned town areas so that the new settlements don't become merely dormitories for city workers."

He continued: "I have the same idea for rural communities in Malaya. We could have rubber refining factories and other light industries established in certain areas and then move the population from under-developed rural country to those areas."

holders in Malaya, while Tan said the main objective in Singapore was improved social and medical services and housing.

**Misunderstanding**

Both delegates said there was still much misunderstanding in Britain of the situation in Malaya. Onn remarked: "The danger is that in Britain they do not understand properly how the war changed the outlook of the people of Malaya."

Tan said it was not correct to label all those with nationalist aspirations as Communists. "The jungle terrorists are probably following Moscow; perhaps they are being exploited; but there are genuine nationalists who are becoming confused with the Communists and that is a misunderstanding."

Tan said he last visited Britain 18 years ago, and the only great difference he had noted since that time was the cost of living. "I used to think Singapore was the most expensive place in the world, but now I think London is far more expensive. The costs of living here are much higher than in Singapore."

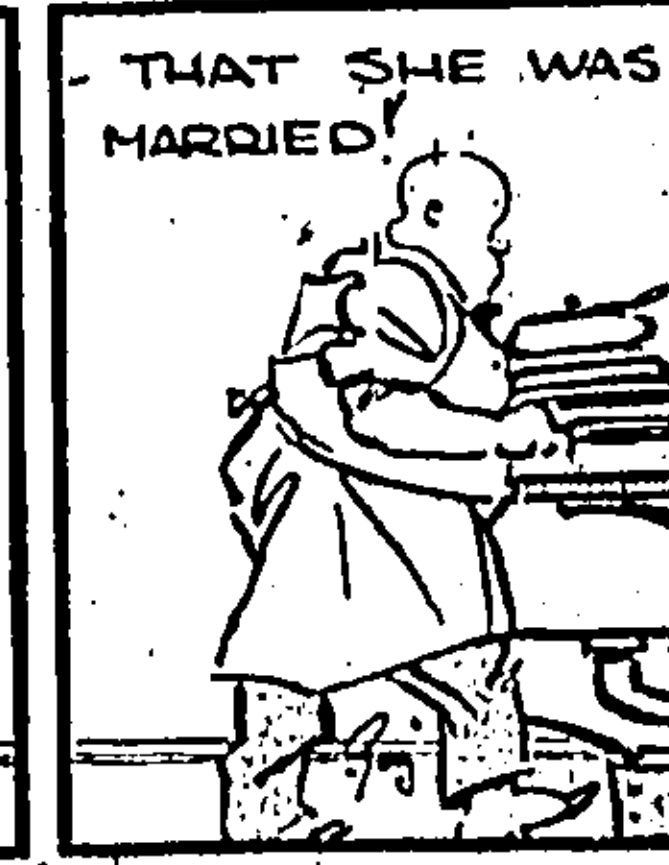
Both delegates were critical of Conservative Lord Macroroff's comments on the future prospects for self-government in Malaya. Onn said he was to be Lord Macroroff's guest at a private dinner

party on Monday. Onn said he will all be members of the Malayan Party. They include Leslie Horne-Bellish, the War Secretary, and some conservative business men and members of the Party's headquarters. Tan will return to Singapore on October 10, and Onn that at present he planned to leave on October 28. It is understood that Onn is having frequent contact with the Sultan of Johore who is believed to be pressing to resume the office as Minister of Johore State.—Press.

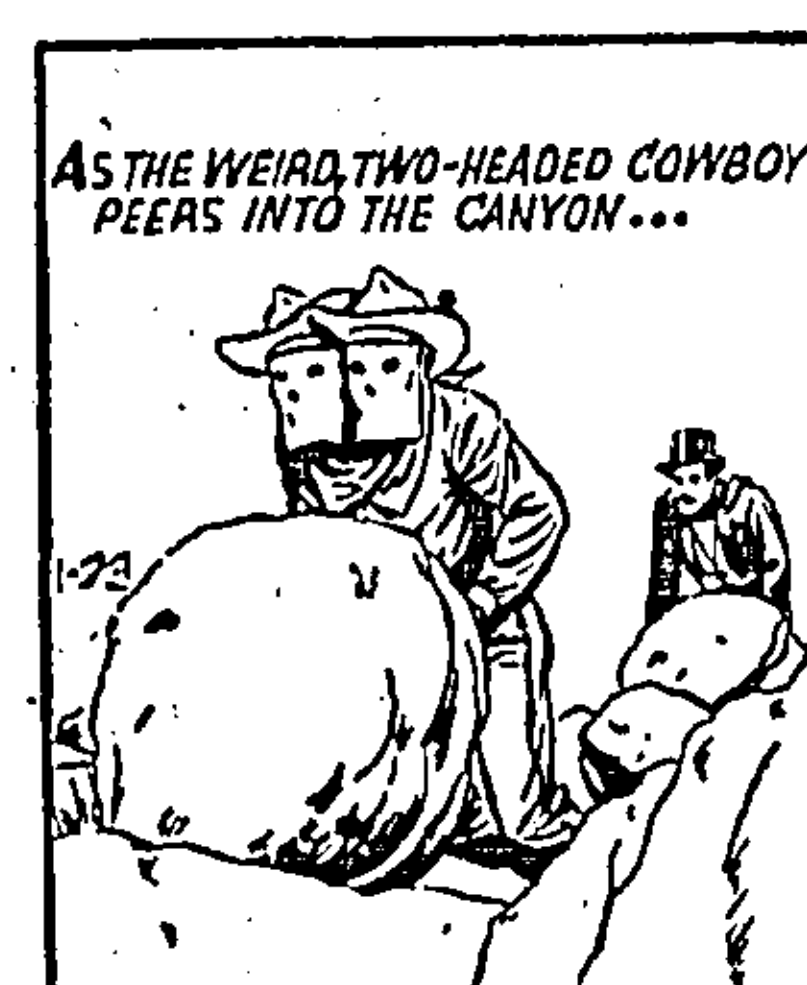
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Soviet books are being sold in the Far East in a seven different languages. A newspaper advertisement for the Kuo Chi Book Co., which has reached here, prospective customers to USSR books directly from the publisher in Chinese, English, French, Japanese and Korean.

Book buyers were offered by Marx, Engels, Lenin, Molotov and Ilya Ehrenburg. Kuo Chi Co. said it had a variety of books and pamphlets published in foreign languages. Moscow Foreign Language Publishing House.—United Press.

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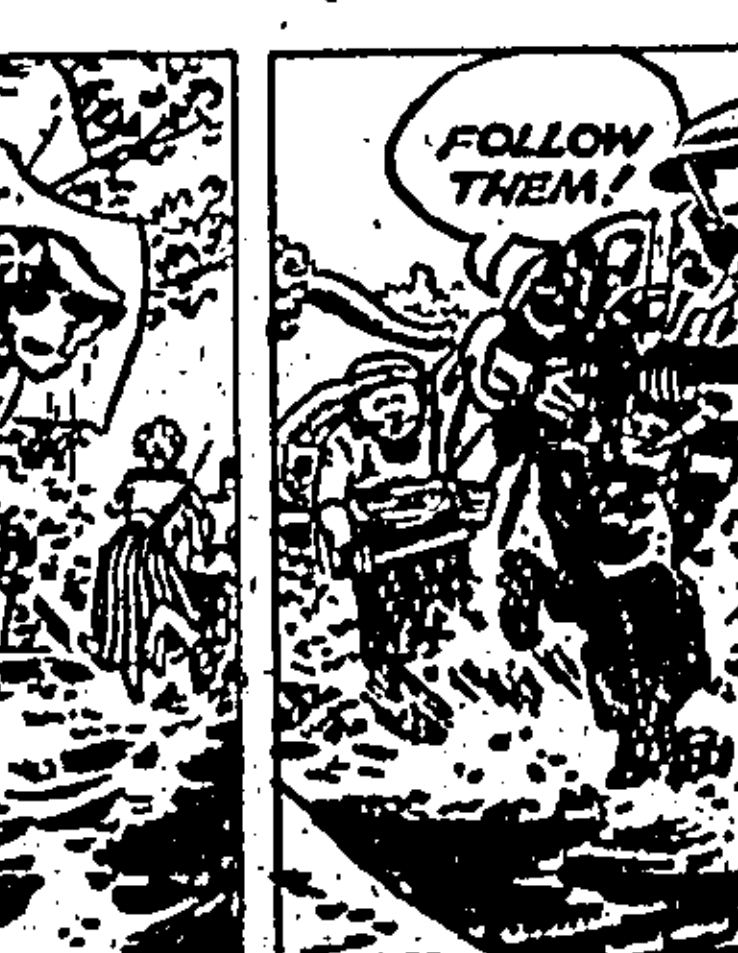
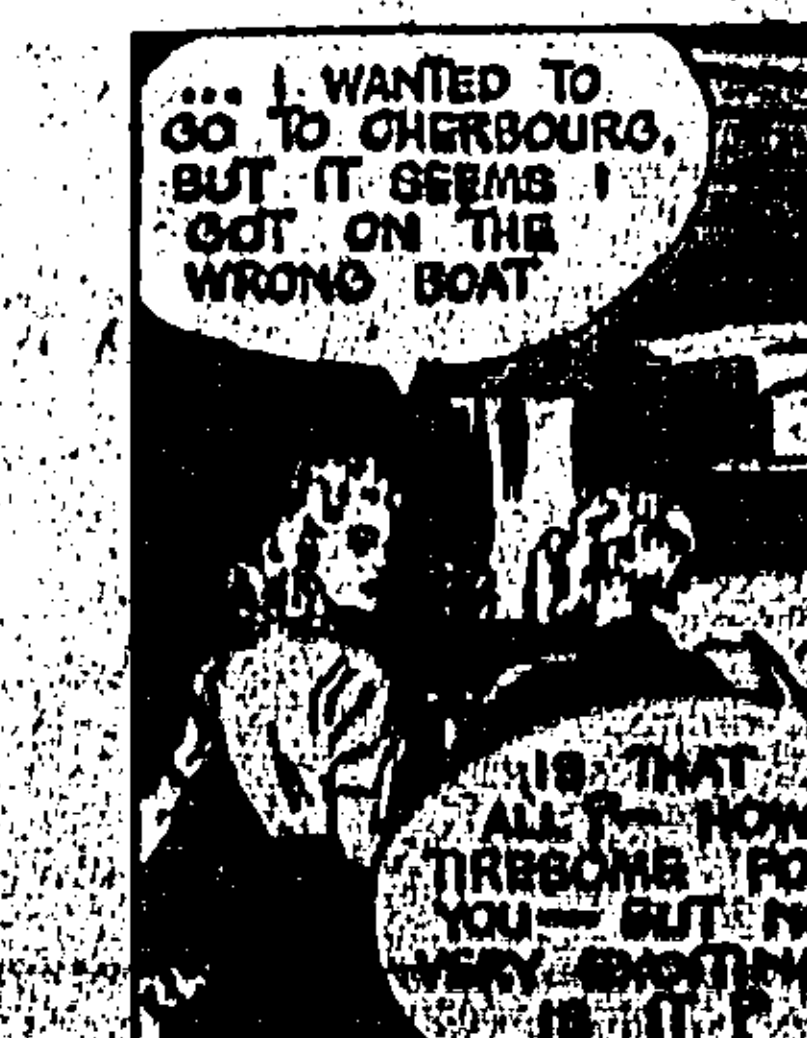
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## New York Stock Exchange

The stock market moved higher with radio-television shares in the first Saturday after the four months' summer recess.

The upswing carried gains to as much as two dollars a share in this electronics group, but profit taking cut back the extreme advances throughout the list before the close.

Shares traded during the short session totalled 970,000. Motors, steels and rails moved up at the opening when there was a rush of overnight orders.

Higher were Philco, Emerson, Motorola, Boeing, Montgomery Ward, U.S. Rubber, Chrysler, Republic Steel, International Telephone, Kennecott Copper, Dupont, American Woolen, Pepsi-Cola, and American Tobacco. Dow Jones averages: Stocks 83.00; 20 Industrials 231.81; 15 Rails 69.72; 10 Utilities 40.78.

Closing quotations:	
Adams Express	23 3/4
American Can	104 1/2
" Smelting	65 1/2
" Telephone	151 3/4
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Waterworks	9 3/4
Anaconda Copper	35 1/2
Aviation Corp.	8 1/2
Baldwin Locomotives	13 1/2
Bentley Aviation	48 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	44 1/2
Boeing Aircraft	36 1/2
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Chrysler	83 3/4
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## LOAN TO IRAN

Washington, October 7. The Export Import Bank is reported to be putting the final touches on a \$25,000,000 loan to Iran.

Officials looked for a formal announcement within a few days. Russia is negotiating for a new trade agreement with its oil-rich Southern neighbour which also is due for completion shortly. If the loan pending American loan is announced first, diplomats hope Moscow's recent efforts to win the Iranian will suffer a setback. Associated Press.

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The prestige of the pound sterling, at a low ebb before devaluation last September, has risen on the world's money markets, and many financiers abroad are buying sterling in the belief that it will be revalued.

Reuter reports from Paris, Brussels, Geneva, the Hague and New York today confirmed an increasing demand for sterling, based on the fact that its actual market value is beginning to outstrip the official exchange rate.

France: Financiers are confident that the pound will be revalued soon, irrespective of official denials. Forward dealings on the official money market were made above the official exchange rate for the first time this week, and black-market transfers are now at the official rate.

London financial circles believe that the improvement in Britain's gold and dollar reserves and the price boom in sterling raw materials would justify a revaluation of the pound. Switzerland: Swiss financiers are now regarding sterling as one of the world's stronger currencies. They are buying sterling because they believe the official rate to be too low and expect a revaluation some time in the future.

Belgium: Bourse operators describe the blackmarket rate of sterling as "firm and steadily rising". Holland: Banking and business have reacted strongly to rumours of sterling revaluation, despite scepticism in the big banking houses. Businesses linked with Britain are covering themselves against the possibility of devaluation.

### SOCCER INT'L

## England never impressed as a good side

Belfast, October 7. England today won the first home soccer international of the season here, defeating Ireland by four goals to one after leading by 1-0 at half-time.

A crowd of 50,000 at Windsor Park watched England, in ideal conditions, clinch the game in the second half after the Irish defence had hung on tenaciously up to the interval. While a stubborn defence by the Irish halves and backs broke up the cultured football of England in the first half, England never impressed as a good side.

Before the interval, Stanley Matthews was left without an opportunity to show his wizardry. England's forwards played too close and the Irish goalkeeper, Kelly, had an easy time.

Will Mannion tried his best to put punch into the attack, but was not given much scope by Michael, the Irish left half-back, and it was Bobby Langton, the Bolton outside left, who spearheaded the attack.

England were more composed after the interval, but spoiled many attacks by poor finishing. Mannion improved and he and Langton harried the Irish defence continually, but Jack Lee, England's new centre-forward, was well held by the Irish captain, Jack Vernon, who was supreme at centre half.

Ireland were slow in comparison and failed to accept several good chances. Billy Wright, the England captain, played a grand game at right-half, and Johnny Aston was very sound at left-back.

For Ireland, McMichael had a fine game against England's right wing and Gallagher was brilliant at right-back. McMorran, the centre-forward, led the attack well.

Ireland missed two good chances before Billy opened the scoring for England two minutes before the interval. Lee headed England's second goal after 65 minutes and after McMorran had scored for Ireland five minutes later, Wright and Billy got two England goals in the last five minutes.

# BIGGEST PIPELINE COMPLETED

The world's biggest oil pipeline has been completed, and now is being filled with oil, trade sources said today.

The 1,069 mile line runs from the rich American-owned oil fields on the Persian Gulf in Saudi Arabia to the ancient port of Sidon on the Mediterranean coast. It was built to eliminate a 7,000 mile tanker haul through the Suez Canal.

Trans-Arabian Pipeline Company which will operate the line for Arabian American Oil Company, has made no official announcement of its completion.

But reliable sources said Eastern and Western segments of the line were joined in Hasbani, Jordan, two weeks ago without fanfare or ceremony.

These sources said that with the completion of pumping stations, it is expected to start loading tankers anchored off Sidon within two months.

The American-built line cost an estimated \$250,000,000 and took 323,000 tons of steel.

It taps one of the world's greatest oil fields, now producing at record rates, — Associated Press.

## A£ blow to speculators

Sydney, October 7.

Australia's decision not to revalue her pound, announced by the Prime Minister, Mr. Menzies, on Friday, is a body blow to exchange speculators. Millions of pounds have been sent into Australia in recent weeks in anticipation of an increase in the value of Australia's pound, which would give up to 25 per cent profit.

Today, the speculators' problem is to get the money out of Australia through a tight Government exchange control.

Finance editor W. J. Jackson of the "Daily Telegraph" said 300,000,000 pounds Australian came into this dominion in the past four years in anticipation of depreciation of sterling or appreciation of the Australian pound.

The Cabinet's decision not to revalue the pound came after a long argument within the coalition Cabinet.

Australians generally believe Mr. Menzies was telling the truth when he said "no change is to be made in the exchange rate."

There is virtually no suggestion that the statement might be a camouflage to discourage more speculation.

The decision was criticised by pro-Government newspapers which have been urging appreciation. Mr. Menzies himself was understood to favour an increase in the value of the pound to cut the costs of imports, but the country party bitterly opposed it.

Mr. Menzies' Liberals do not have an outright majority in Parliament and are joined with the Country Party in an anti-Labour Coalition Government. Associated Press.

# HITLER DISAPPOINTED IN FRANCO SPAIN

Washington, October 7.

A new batch of captured Nazi documents published today show that Hitler met disappointment in spending about US\$200,000,000 to help Generalissimo Francisco Franco seize Spain. Records from German Foreign Office files provide fresh evidence that the Fuehrer and Field Marshal Hermann Goering gave Nazi aid in an attempt to get control of the Spanish copper and iron mines for Germany.

Hitler later complained of Franco's ingratitude.

The records indicated that Franco's role in the Spanish Civil War was even costlier. Soviet Russia, according to the Nazi reports, made an effort comparable to that of the Axis in trying to keep the Republican government in power, supplying behind-the-scenes support of a type similar to that in Greece and Korea.

The plots of the totalitarian powers are set forth in 610 documents comprising the third published selection from the eight-volume "All-Party Library on the Spanish Civil War."

They were chosen by British, French and American historians. 400 tons of goods seized in Germany after its defeat. The identification of German duties is given in a German Foreign Office memorandum describing German aid to the Nationalist forces in the Spanish Civil War. 400 tons.

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